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THE CENTENNIAL.

The Centennial Committee will hold a regular meeting this evening.

The celebration of Bloomsburg's one hundredth anniversary is still two weeks distant, but already people are arriving to remain until after the big show. The event gives promise of being a brilliant success, and in every way commensurate with the occasion. We would advise our readers to take advantage of Centennial week and visit Bloomsburg, for it will give them an opportunity to see the town in its finest dress, and a display which is not often afforded. The entire populace will set everything aside, and lend themselves to the celebration. The first day's program will include base ball, a grand civic pageant, illustrating the business and industrial life of the town, and a fine display of fire works in the evening. On the second day the firemen will hold sway. There will be in line, beside the local department, fifteen companies from other cities, with at least a dozen brass bands. There will also be a game of base ball on Friday.

The program of amusements will be varied. Already contracts have been closed with a Gypsy Camp and Palace of Illusions, and the committee has lines out for Darkness and Dawn, the show that scored such a success at the Buffalo Exposition. If good weather prevails, the Centennial should be a brilliant success. Are you coming?

The official invitations were received this morning, and are ready for distribution. They are sold for five cents each, which is the actual cost.

The firemen have adjusted their difficulties, and will be ready to show the best parade of the kind ever seen here.

Will Benefit Several Communities.

The construction of the Pennsylvania, Bloomsburg & Berwick Railroad, will do much for the people of the several townships through which it passes, because it will bring them closer to the larger towns, and establish a convenience the worth of which can hardly be estimated. The business people of Berwick and Bloomsburg will also reap benefits from the enterprise, as it will make the townships suburbs, almost of the two towns. There is to be no waiting or delay, after work is started, and it is expected that the early part of next year will see the completion of the line. There will be no cuts of any account to contend with and the road for a greater part of the way can be made on railroad grade. The road will be first class in every particular, and the entire line ballasted with stone. The stations between Orangeville and Watsontown are all to be remodeled, and improved. The site for the station at Berwick has not yet been decided upon, but the probabilities are that it will be located near the Store Company's building. By pushing the road to a speedy completion, the gentlemen at the head of the enterprise will win the thanks of many people.

Court Proceedings.

Court was in session on Monday. Hon. R. R. Little presided.

Sarah E Johnson et. al. vs Simon S. Beyer. In Equity. This case is the outcome of a contract made between Harry Johnson, son of the plaintiff and Simon S. Beyer, involving the sale of a tract of timber land for $200.00 without the plaintiff's knowledge. In the bargain certain rights were reserved, including some young timber on the tract and the tops of trees. The agreement was drawn with the stipulations omitted and the plaintiffs refused to sign it. This did not deter Beyer and he proceeded to cut the timber. He was ordered to quit but refused to comply. The plaintiffs then secured from the court an injunction restraining him from further operations. Depositions of Sarah E. Johnson were read in court, and Harry Johnson was sworn. The injunction was continued.

Sadie Stephens appointed guardian of Almond, Lizzie and Dora Stephens minor children of Jasper Stephens.

Mayor Townsend, who has been confined to his home for more than a week past, is slowly improving. He was taken with lumbago while in the city in the early part of last week, and the constant jolt of the train on his return home aggravated the discomfort. He came down stairs yesterday and expects to be able to be out in a few days.

"THE FARMERS' PIONIC."

Our Agricultural Friends Had a Gala Time Thursday. Beautiful Grasmere Thronged With Visitors.

To say that the farmers' picnic at Grasmere Park last Thursday was a colossal affair is putting it mildly. We will not estimate numbers, nor tell what we saw, for the woods and picnic ground was full of people. Nor shall we comment upon any of the speeches except one, later on, in this article. As for the political complexion of the vast assemblage, all shades of politics were represented. So were all the religious beliefs, creeds and doctrines; and probably infidelity was not less conspicuous. But it was a remarkable crowd, of men and women, old and young, boys and girls and children, all bent upon enjoyment, and apparently all succeeded. While many people expected to see Pattison, the democratic nominee for Governor, we heard one person remark, that he "had a high regard for him," but "he was not his man." We are not sure, but think that he was the "lone republican of Jackson." So it is in politics the country over, "we have a high regard for him, but he is not our man." The prominent features of the day's exercises was the speech of County Superintendent Evans, whose theme was, "Rural Education." We were wholly absorbed and interested in the plan, or course he outlined, which he proposes to pursue to the letter, and from the tenor of his remarks, he will exert every energy at his command, to accomplish his purpose.

He said that rural children had better opportunities for study than town-children, from the fact that there were less fascinating attractions to divert their attention, to allure and rob them of their studies. The whole scheme, as outlined by Mr. Evans, seemed to us, theoretically more plausible than practicable. Yet, if he is a person of indomitable will, and untiring and persevering energy, he may reach the ideal at which he aims. If he can withstand the clamor and protests of all classes, teachers, directors, pupils and patrons that may rise in opposition to such a course, he will accomplish a very great work. But to fully succeed, it is necessary that the patrons of the schools co-operate, by sending their children very regularly to their respective schools. And also visit their schools frequently.

This they should do; not so much as a courtesy to the teachers, but it is a duty they owe to their children and the schools. Our schools are in need of many reforms, and it is hoped that these reforms will be instituted under the present administration of Superintendent Evans. Now, that Mr. Evans has defined his policy, let all who are interested in the intellectual development of our children, and the progress of our schools, put their shoulder to the wheel and help lift our schools to a higher state of proficiency. The intellectual development of our children is of far greater importance than earthly treasures, or legacies—the greatest legacy obtainable, is a first class education. The children of our nation are the jewels of our country, and why shall they not be rounded and polished by a system of free education, and become useful citizens and ornaments to society. We shall expect that Mr. Evans will be a power that will count in the progress and development of "Rural Education" in Columbia county.

J. C. W.

The Public Library.

The Free Public Library, second floor of the new Clark building, Centre street will be open to the public during the Centennial. We trust the citizens will not forget it when showing their guests the advantage of a residence in our town.

The room will not be formally opened to the reading public until later but with a suitable room and the co-operation of our citizens, it is possible to fill a long felt want of our town. There has already been contributed sectional book-cases that will hold several hundred volumes, but more are needed. Any one desiring to make donations in this line, or toward the further furnishing of the room or any communication in regard to this movement may be made to Miss Laura P. Waller, Pres. Library Dep't.

Well Equipped, And Want Your Business.

Our Vault, Safe and general equipment are modern in every respect, and supply every convenience and safeguard for banking. We do an exclusive banking business, and consequently nobody can serve you better.

If you are not already a customer, we solicit Your Account upon the basis of Sound and Progressive Banking, Liberal and Fair Treatment.

Bloomsburg National Bank

A. Z. SCHOCH, President. WM. H. HIDLAY, Cashier.

[Read My Ad on 5th Page.]

Every Movement,

No matter what the grade, is carefully inspected before going out of this store.

Every Watch

Is backed by our unqualified guarantee—a guarantee that's kept.

J. Lee Martin,

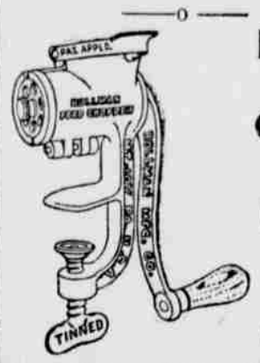
Jeweler and Optician.

Telephone 1842.

I Have Moved

Into my own yellow front building, formerly occupied by Ben Gidding's clothing store, and am receiving the following

Summer Goods:



Food Choppers, 50 cents

J. G. WELLS,

General Hardware.

THE MAN and HIS HAT!

How often they disagree! Here comes a round-faced, fat man with a small Derby; Here is a tall, slender man with a thin face, and he is wearing a big cowboy hat!

They don't go to the right store to buy Hats—not enough variety; can't find a hat to suit them, and rather than hunt around, take anything. You're bound to find the right hat here, because the variety is here—and fashion says: Wear the style that looks well.

Soft Hats, 3.00, 2.50, 2.00, 1.50, 1.00 and 50 cents. Derbys, 5.00, 3.00, 2.50, 2.00 and 1.50.

Bring Your Head Here for Satisfaction.

Ben Gidding

The Clothier,

Bloomsburg, Penn'a.,

Corner Main and Center Sts.

Come in and see us, we'll treat you right.

W. H. Gilmore, Chief Marshal.

At a meeting of a committee from the Centennial committee and a committee of three from each of the five recognized fire companies of town held in the committee rooms in the Hartman building Monday evening the matter of chief marshalship of the parade on firemen's day of the centennial was considered. Since the appointment of Mr. Gilmore by the Centennial Committee considerable complaint had been heard, and the purpose of this meeting was to get the representatives of the various companies together and hear what the objections were. Each company was heard separately. It appeared to be the sense of the committees from the Rescue, Winona and Liberty company's that John Fortner should be the chief marshal of the parade, for the reason that he is chief engineer of the department. The matter was discussed at considerable length and owing to the fact that the sentiment of the meeting appeared to be so evenly divided the question was finally put to a vote. The majority favored Mr. Gilmore, and his appointment was sustained. The parade will consist of five divisions and each will have a chief marshal with aids. This is the manner in which the firemen's parades are conducted at the big gatherings in the cities.

Base Ball at Berwick Saturday.

Base ball received a black eye in Berwick on Saturday when the game between the home team and Freeland came to an end abruptly in the sixth inning in a free-for-all fight. For five innings the visitors were shut out without a hit or a run, but in the sixth they opened up and scored five runs before a single man had been retired. At this juncture, it is said, one or two precocious enthusiasts wishing to prevent defeat which was sure to follow, started a fight. It had the desired effect, the game was stopped and the umpire called it back to the fifth inning, giving the Berwick club his decision by a score of 4 to 0, they having made four runs before the trouble started. This is one way of winning games, but it isn't the true sportsmen like fashion.

The Mifflinville Bridge.

The King Bridge Company of Cleveland, Ohio, one of the largest bridge building concerns in this country, was on Tuesday awarded the subcontract for the iron and steel superstructure of the new Mifflinville river bridge by contractor Charles H. Reimard. The County Commissioners have taken action upon the matter and in a resolution presented by Commissioner Kitchen consented to and approved the same. The said resolution calls for the filing of a bond by the bridge company in the sum of $15,000 for the faithful performance of the work, the said bond to be accompanied by a certificate from the Probate Judge of the court of the county in which the sureties reside, certifying that the sureties are worth the amount stated in said bond.

Contractor Reimard is now engaged building tool houses and doing other preliminary work. The canal has been filled in, and just as soon as the Pennsylvania Railroad Company completes the switch at Mifflinville, work on the substructure will be commenced.

The Clerks Picnic.

Pleasure held full sway at Shawnee Park last evening. The occasion was the annual picnic of the clerks of town and their friends. It is estimated that at least six hundred were in attendance and everybody enjoyed themselves. The clerks certainly made a wise selection in Shawnee. It was simply grand in the park last night. The music, the lights and the merry faces, all seemed like a fairy land and then the gentle wind that stirred the branches of the trees was full of perfume. Music was furnished by the Centennial orchestra.

To Employ 100 Men.

Just as soon as the smelter, which was recently ordered by the Beaver Lake Copper and Smelting Company, arrives the force of workmen will be increased from its present size of four to one hundred. The smelter will have a capacity of 100 tons daily. The assays show copper in from 7½ to 63 per cent, the average being 18½ per cent.

Special Summer Sale OF MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

An assortment of Fine Undermuslins at Special Prices. Every garment offered is faultless in style and fit, made of the best materials and trimmed in the most desirable fashion. The entire assortment consists of the famous "QUEEN" UNDERMUSLINS. Superior in every respect.

"QUEEN" GOWNS.

Handsome styles made and trimmed in a fashion very much superior to the goods you are used to finding at Special Sales.

"QUEEN" SKIRTS.

Swell, Stylish Skirts that fit, made with French bands—full, generous ruffles. Its a time to buy white skirts as you have never bought them before.

"Queen" Corset Covers and Drawers.

Note the fine insertings and the fit of these superior garments. As dainty goods as we ever had in our store, and the prices at which we bought them permit us to underprice any similar offering ever made in this or any other store in town. The illustration does scant justice to the garments shown.

COME AND SEE THE GOODS.

Prices of Garments Illustrated for this sale only 49 cents each.

SALE COMMENCES

Tuesday, August 12th,

AND CONTINUES ONE WEEK

The Leader Store Co., Limited,

4th and Market Streets. Bloomsburg, Pa.

EDWARD IS CROWNED

Great Crowds Witness the Long Awaited Event.

THE KING'S STRENGTH FAILED NOT.

Immense Throngs Witness the Pre-coronation Illuminations, but Quiet and the Absence of Rowdyism Prevailed.

LONDON, Aug. 9.—King Edward VII. has been crowned. The great event so long expected, once postponed and which at one time seemed likely never to occur took place today under favorable circumstances and amid general rejoicing.

The programme already announced was carried out without a mishap. The crowds were such as only London can

KING EDWARD VII.

show, but there was not the noisy exuberance of spirit which would have marked the event had it taken place when first planned.

The climax in the ceremonies was reached at noon. It was a few minutes past 12 o'clock when the crown was placed upon Edward's head. Then followed the crowning of Queen Alexandra, and at 12:55 their majesties left Westminster abbey and returned to Buckingham palace.

The entire ceremony occupied one hour and a quarter.

King Edward bore up well under the trying ordeal of the day and showed no signs of weakness. Indeed the general remark was, "How well and hearty he looks!"

The first section of the procession to the abbey started from Buckingham palace at 10:30 o'clock and consisted of dress carriages in pairs, containing members of the royal family headed by trumpeters, the Royal Horse Guards' band, the First Life guards and the Royal Horse guards. Then came the carriages, occupied as follows:

First.—The Grand Duke of Mecklenburg-Strelitz, the Grand Duchess of Mecklenberg-Strelitz, the Duke of Cambridge and Prince Frederic.

Second.—Princes Andrew and George of Greece and Princesses Victoria and Louise of Battenberg.

Third.—Princes Maurice, Leopold and Alexander of Battenberg, Princess Victoria Eugenie of Battenberg and Princess Beatrice.

Fourth.—The Duchess of Albany, the Duchess of Argyll and the Crown Prince and Crown Princess of Roumania.

Fifth.—Princesses Louise and Augusta Victoria of Schleswig-Holstein

QUEEN ALEXANDRA.

and Prince and Princess Christian of Schleswig-Holstein.

Sixth.—The Princesses Victoria Patricia and Margaret of Connaught, the Duchess of Connaught and the Grand Duke of Hesse.

Seventh.—The Duke and Duchess of Sparta and Prince and Princess Henry of Prussia.

Eighth (drawn by six black horses).—The Crown Prince and Crown Princess Charles of Denmark, Princess Victoria and the Duchess of Fife.

After the foregoing came the Prince of Wales' procession, which started from York House at 10:45. The advance guard consisted of a detachment of the Royal Horse guards, followed by two carriages containing official members of the Prince and Princess of Wales' household, the first troop of the Royal Horse guards, the carriage of the Prince and Princess of Wales and the second troop of the Royal Horse guards.

The king's procession left Buckingham palace at 11 o'clock, escorted by the Royal Horse guards, the king's bargemaster and twelve watermen. Four carriages followed, containing officials of the king's household.

These carriages were followed by the personal staff to the commander in chief, Lord Roberts, mounted; aids-de-camp to the king, consisting of ten colonels of volunteer regiments, seven colonels of yeomanry regiments and nine colonels of militia regiments. Nearly all the above aids are members of the peerage.

Following them came the honorary Indian aids, including Sir Pertab Singh and the maharajah of Gwalior; then seventeen colonels of regulars, ten naval marine aids, General Sir Alfred Gaselee, Admiral Sir Edward Hobart Seymour, General Lord Kitchener, the headquarters staff of the army, Lord Roberts, the commander in chief; twenty-five of the yeoman guard, six extra equerries to the king, seven equerries in ordinary, an escort of colonial cavalry, an escort of Indian cavalry and an escort of the Royal Horse guard.

Then came the state coach conveying their majesties, attended by the Duke of Connaught and Prince Arthur of Connaught, followed by the royal standard and an escort.

After these came the Duke of Buccleugh, captain general of the royal company of archers; Earl Waldegrave, captain of the yeomen of the guard, and the Duke of Portland, master of the horse, followed by the equerries in waiting and the royal grooms.

The rear division consisted of an escort of the Royal Horse guards and reserve squadron of the Second Life guards.

The eve of the coronation of King Edward VII. was marked in London by large crowds, which wandered all the evening somewhat aimlessly through the semi-illuminated streets. Down Whitehall, where the Canadian arch was the center of attraction; around Westminster abbey and along the Strand the sidewalks were blocked with the expectant populace. The people were deterred from any signs of rowdyism by the acute recollection of the recent postponement of the coronation.

King's Gift to the People.

LONDON, Aug. 11.—King Edward has signalized his coronation in a memorable manner by the munificent gift to the nation of Osborne House, one of the favorite residences of the late Queen Victoria.

EXTRA SESSION LIKELY.

Senate May Be Called In November to Ratify Cuban Treaty.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—Advices received here indicate that President Roosevelt will call the senate in extraordinary session early in November.

Ever since it became evident that nothing would be accomplished as to reciprocity with Cuba at the recent session of congress rumors of a more or less definite nature have been in circulation that the president would call an extra session, either of the entire congress to enact Cuban reciprocity legislation or of the senate to ratify, if possible, a reciprocity treaty with Cuba.

During the past week it has been stated that it was the purpose of President Roosevelt to call a special session of the senate as early as September. It can be stated by authority that he has no such intention. His time and that of many members of both political parties will be completely occupied during September and October.

It is understood to be the belief of the president that a session of the senate held for the purpose of ratifying a reciprocity treaty with Cuba would be much more likely to be fruitful of results if it is held after the November elections than if it were held before.

BASEBALL SCORES.

Games Played Yesterday In the National and American Leagues.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At New York—

Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0—2
New York	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1—3

Hits—Cincinnati, 8; New York, 8. Errors—Cincinnati, 2; New York, 0. Batteries—Poole and Bergen; Cronin and Bresnahan.

At Brooklyn—

Chicago	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0—4
Brooklyn	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	*	—5

Hits—Chicago, 8; Brooklyn, 8. Errors—Chicago, 1; Brooklyn, 4. Batteries—Menefee and Kling; Kitson and Farrell.

At Boston—

Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
Boston	1	0	0	7	0	0	3	0	*	—11

Hits—Pittsburg, 5; Boston, 6. Errors—Pittsburg, 5; Boston, 1. Batteries—Doheny and Smith; Pittinger and Moran.

At Philadelphia—

St. Louis	0	2	3	1	0	0	0	3	3	3—12
Philadelphia	3	2	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0—9

Hits—St. Louis, 19; Philadelphia, 12. Errors—St. Louis, 2; Philadelphia, 3. Batteries—Yerkes, Currie, O'Neill and Ryan; Duggleby, Fraser, Douglass and Dooin.

TABLE OF PERCENTAGES.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Pittsburg	67	32	.753
Brooklyn	54	43	.557
Chicago	50	43	.538
Boston	47	42	.528
Cincinnati	42	49	.461
St. Louis	43	52	.453
Philadelphia	37	57	.394
New York	30	62	.326

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Cleveland—Baltimore, 3; Cleveland, 6.

Firebug In Peoria, Ill.

PEORIA, Ill., Aug. 12.—The police and fire departments were kept busy yesterday by the operations of an incendiary. The torch was applied to five buildings during the day, and, though the actual fire loss will not exceed $25,000, with an insurance of about $12,000, the flames at one time threatened to sweep a large section of the city.

Frosts In Nebraska.

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 12.—Light frosts are reported from the northern part of this state and southern South Dakota. No damage was done to crops. Temperatures in the state varied from 39 to 51.

NO "L" ROAD TIEUP

Manhattan Engineers and Firemen Get Concessions.

DEMAND FOR NINE HOUR DAY GRANTED

Manager of Elevated Lines Makes a Statement—Trouble Grew Out of the Change to Electricity on the East Side.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—There will be no tieap of the elevated roads. After a two hours' conference late yesterday between Alfred Skitt, vice president of the Manhattan Railway company, and the dissatisfied engine drivers and firemen it was announced that the company had conceded to the men a nine hour day, and the men in turn waived the demand that a day's run should not be more than ninety miles.

After the meeting the men smilingly declared that it would be impossible to make more than eighty-five miles in nine hours. They considered their victory complete and said that practically every demand they had made had been granted.

Mr. Skitt declined to discuss the matter on behalf of the company, but gave out the following typewritten statement:

"The matters in dispute were finally narrowed down to a question of hours for a day's work and the limit of ninety miles per day. The engineers waived the question of miles, and the company conceded the nine hour day. The agreement was signed, and the conference ended."

The questions mentioned by Mr. Skitt were the principal causes of contention. Only the men who have been operating electric trains on the Second and Third avenue lines have been working ten hours. The engine drivers have never been required to work ten. The concession made by the company is practically a protective measure looking toward the future.

In the future, when electricity is substituted for steam, the engine drivers who become motormen will be assured that they will be required to work only nine hours instead of ten, as their fellow workmen were forced to do on the Second and Third avenue lines.

Great Harvester Trust.

TRENTON, N. J., Aug. 13.—The International Harvester company, with an authorized capital of $120,000,000, has just been incorporated here. The company is authorized to manufacture harvesting machines and agricultural implements of all kinds. It is understood that among the concerns interested in the syndicate is the McCormick Reaper and Mower concern of Chicago. The articles provide that all of the $120,000,000 of the capital stock shall be common stock unless it shall be decided to increase the company's capital beyond those figures. In that event $120,000,000 is to become preferred stock, and the additional capital is to be common stock.

Killed Himself Instead of a Monarch.

ROME, Aug. 13.—The Italian steamer Citta di Milano, from New York July 22, which arrived at Genoa Aug. 9, reports that an anarchist named Sganza of New York committed suicide by jumping overboard while the vessel was off Gibraltar. It is alleged that Sganza had been commissioned to murder a European royal personage and that he was on his way to Europe for this purpose, but weakened at the last moment and killed himself. Two of his companions disappeared upon the arrival of the Citta di Milano at Genoa.

Exploding Gasoline Causes Big Loss.

PADUCAH, Ky., Aug. 13.—Dr. W. E. Terry was fatally injured by an explosion of gasoline at Princeton, Ky. He lit a match in the Terry & Frayer drug store, which caused the explosion and originated a fire that did $100,000 of damage before it was brought under control. Among the heavy losers were the Cumberland Telephone Exchange and the Postal Telegraph company. The opera house, Terry's drug store and two dry goods stores were also destroyed.

A Find of Gold Coins.

LAUREL, Del., Aug. 13.—The discovery of several Spanish gold coins by workmen digging a well has thrown the village of Renslow, on the Chesapeake bay, into a state of great excitement. The money was found by Thomas Castle and William Faber, who were digging a well. It is said that the treasure of the famous Captain Kidd is buried along the shores of the Chesapeake, and many attempts have been made to discover it, but without success.

Americans Lead at Tennis.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—The team of American lawn tennis experts successfully defended the Dwight F. Davis international challenge cup yesterday on the courts of the Crescent Athletic club, Bay Ridge. They defeated the challenging Englishmen in the four matches of the singles by three victories and suffered one defeat.

General Meyer Dead.

BRUSSELS, Aug. 9.—The Petit Bleu announces the sudden death of General Lucas Meyer of heart disease. General Meyer was attacked several times with this illness during the war in South Africa.

Forest Fires In Oregon.

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 12.—Forest fires raging in the Cascade mountains along the Columbia river are destroying millions of feet of valuable timber.

Trident Won the Cup.

MONTREAL, Aug. 12.—Trident won the Seawanhaka cup yesterday by defeating Tecumseh by 5 minutes and 27 seconds.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Notable Events of the Week Briefly and Tersely Told.

Two murderers were taken from jail at Lexington, Mo., and hanged.

The C. H. Mackay racing stable brought $61,000 at auction in Saratoga, Mexican fetching $20,000.

An attempt was made to assassinate Prince Obolensky, governor of Kharkov, Russia, who was slightly wounded.

Two Chicago policemen were shot and killed in an early morning fight with thieves in the good residence part of the west side.

A Chicago paper reported a plan on foot to consolidate the National and American Baseball leagues and end the war between them.

The North German Lloyd steamship Kaiser Wilhelm II., largest in the world, was launched at Stettin in the presence of Emperor William.

A United States warship was ordered to Barcelona, Venezuela, from Puerto Cabello in consequence of news that rebels were sacking the town.

Tuesday, Aug. 12.

The Laflin & Rand powder mill at Wanaque, N. J., blew up. Three men were hurt.

A Berlin bank reported a loss of nearly $900,000 through German industrial depression.

Sheriff W. C. Barnhill of Henry county, O., was seriously wounded by chicken thieves.

William J. Lee hurled a stone through the window of the Trenton (N. J.) Trust company's bank at the state treasurer, who he fancied had injured him in a business deal.

Monday, Aug. 11.

A number of mountain climbers perished from exposure on Mont Blanc.

King Oscar of Sweden assisted in saving twenty-three persons from drowning.

The trolley strike in New Haven has been settled, the company conceding all the demands of the men.

The Haitian government troops have been defeated by revolutionists, and an attack on Cape Haitien is expected.

The Trident, the Canadian yacht, won the third of the international series for the Seawanhaka Corinthian cup.

C. S. Titus won the final heat for the championship sculls at the regatta of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen at Worcester.

Walter A. Scott, president of the Illinois Wire company, was stabbed and killed in the Monadnock building, Chicago, by Walter L. Stebbings, a civil engineer.

Saturday, Aug. 9.

Emperor William left Reval, Russia, for Sweden.

General Frederick Funston was reported ill at his home in Denver.

The pope protested to the French government against the closing of Catholic schools.

Austen Chamberlain, son of the colonial secretary, was appointed British postmaster general.

A portrait of George Washington was unveiled in Freemasons' hall, London, by Embassador Choate.

The Yankee boat Tecumseh led the Canadian boat Trident in the second day's race for the Seawanhaka cup.

Forest fires threaten great destruction of timber in Wyoming. Fears are entertained for the safety of several towns.

Friday, Aug. 8.

A stogie trust has been formed with $6,500,000 capital.

The North Dakota tax equalization board has increased railroad valuations $1,000 a mile.

Prohibition speakers have decided to make a campaign tour through Minnesota in a giant automobile.

Fourteen persons were killed and many others injured by an explosion in the iron works at Camargo, Spain.

People living in the country west of Nashville, Tenn., are being terrorized by convicts who recently escaped from the Tennessee state prison.

Thursday, Aug. 7.

Emperor William arrived at Reval, Russia, and was received by the czar.

A cloudburst did great damage in Ute pass and at Manitou and Colorado Springs, Colo.

Daniel J. Sweeney, a mine watchman near Wilkesbarre, was waylaid by strikers and beaten to death.

At Alvin, Tex., fire destroyed two blocks of business houses, fifteen firms losing all of their stock; loss, $100,000.

Great Race at Brighton Beach.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Direct Hal, 2:06¾, Ed Geer's great side wheeler, captured the five thousand dollar Metropolitan 2:20 class pace at Brighton Beach yesterday from a crack field in straight heats and in the winning of it cleaned up $25,000 for E. E. Smathers, the noted New York horseman, and lowered his own record a quarter of a second in the first heat, which he negotiated in 2:06½. It was the greatest gambling race of the light harness stars ever fought out in the east.

Ochs Makes One Paper of Two.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 11.—The Public Ledger and the Philadelphia Times announced today that on and after tomorrow the two newspapers will be consolidated and will thereafter appear under the title of Public Ledger and the Philadelphia Times. The retail price will be 1 cent daily and 2 cents Sunday. The two papers are owned by Adolph S. Ochs.

James Arkell Dead.

AMSTERDAM, N. Y., Aug. 13.—Ex-Senator James Arkell is dead at his home in Canajoharie, aged seventy-two years. He was born in Berkshire, England, and emigrated when a boy with his parents to America, settling at Canajoharie. For many years he was proprietor of the Canajoharie Radil.

Farmers and Breeds.

The breeds of sheep are being improved every year, and farmers who have not familiarized themselves with the characteristics of sheep should bear in mind that they are behind the buyers, who can distinguish at a few moments' examination, exactly what kind of a sheep from which the wool was sheared, and its fitness for the purpose for which it is desired. The buyers know the breeds, the kind of wool peculiar to each breed and all about them, for it is "business." A farmer would sneer at a carpenter who professed to be a carpenter and yet could not do a piece of work in that line; and yet, it may be claimed, there are hundreds of farmers who claim to be farmers, and who would rebel if their knowledge of their business would be questioned, but who, at the same time, cannot tell as much about the products of the farm as many of those who know nothing about farm life. There are hundreds of farmers who are not able to distinguish breeds of sheep, and who do not know the particular purposes for which the breed is most suitable, and still they pride themselves on their calling as a business which they intend to make profitable. If such farmers could be brought to a realization of the fact that they are really deficient in knowledge it would be to their interests. Every year we witness the shipment of the products of the farm to market, where the buyer fixes the grade, although he has no experience on the farm. Farmers as a class are not business-like, for they rely too much on the judgment of others. It is not intended to imply that they should not seek the advise of others, but when the farmer surrenders everything to hard work he should begin to educate himself in every possible way in order to improve his chances.—Ex.

To put the brake on the wagon going down the hill is a help to the horse, when the wagon is heavily loaded. But what driver would think of applying the brake to a loaded wagon going up hill? If he did, his sensible horses would probably balk. Many a man is in the condition of pulling a load up hill with the brake set against him. When his stomach is out of order, and the allied organs of digestion and nutrition impaired in their functions, a friction is set up which has to be overcome in addition to the performance of daily duties. A foul stomach makes a foggy brain, and the man with a disordered stomach has often to grope his way through the day's business like a man in a fog. He forgets appointments. Problems seem presented to his mind "wrong end to." This condition is entirely remedied by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It puts the stomach and digestive and nutritive system into a condition of perfect health, and gives a clear brain, a steady hand and a light step for the day's duties. When constipation clogs the channels of the body, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets will work an effectual cure of that disastrous disease.

ONLY A MASK. Many are not being benefited by the summer vacation as they should be. Now, notwithstanding much outdoor life, they are little if any stronger than they were. The tan on their faces is darker and makes them look healthier, but it is only a mask. They are still nervous, easily tired, upset by trifles, and they do not eat nor sleep well. What they need is what tones the nerves, perfects digestion, creates appetite, and makes sleep refreshing, and that is Hood's Sarsaparilla. Pupils and teachers generally will find the chief purpose of the vacation best subserved by this great medicine which, as we know, "builds up the whole system."

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Reduced Rates to Grangers' Picnic at Williams' Grove, via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For the Twenty-ninth Annual Inter-State Grange Picnic Exhibition, to be held at Williams' Grove, Pa., August 25 to 30, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from August 25 to 30, inclusive, good to return on date of issue only, at rate of one fare for the round-trip, from principal stations between Altoona and Bryn Mawr; on the Northern Central Railway, between Sunbury and Lutherville, inclusive, and on the Philadelphia and Erie Railroad Division east of and including Renovo.

There will be an elaborate display of farm machinery in actual operation during the exhibition, and addresses will be delivered by well-known agricultural speakers.

For information in regard to train service and specific rates application should be made to ticket agents. 2t.

Petrified Bones Unearthed.

While workmen were excavating for blue stone near Forest City Saturday they unearthed the petrified bones of an animal estimated to have been 16 feet long. Lime water falling on the bones had turned them to stone, but the outlines of the body were perfect. Footprints as large around as a half bushel measure were found. The teeth were six inches long. The farmers of the neighborhood believe the bones to be those of monster species of horse, but a Scranton geologist is sure they are those of a mastodon.

Centennial Envelopes.

The envelopes ordered by the Centennial committee have arrived and orders for them may be left at this office. The prices are as follows: 1000, $3.50; 500, $1.80; 250, $1.00. This includes printing business card in the corner. tf.

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Mt. Olive, Ark., May 17, 1901.

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J. M. SCHOLTY.

THE MARKETS.

BLOOMSBURG MARKETS.

CORRECTED WEEKLY.	RETAIL PRICES
Butter, per pound	$ 22
Eggs, per dozen	18
Lard, per pound	15
Ham, per pound	16
Beef (quarter), per pound	6 to 8
Wheat, per bushel	1 00
Oats, do	65
Rye, do	60
Flour per bbl.	4 40
Hay, per ton	14 00
Potatoes, (new), per bushel	60
Turnips, do	40
Tallow, per pound	06
Shoulder, do	12
Side meat, do	12
Vinegar, per qt	05
Dried apples, per pound	07
Cow hides, do	3½
Steer do do	05
Calf skin	80
Sheep pelts	75
Shelled corn, per bushel	90
Corn meal, cwt	2 00
Bran, cwt.	1 30
Chop, cwt.	1 60
Middlings, cwt.	1 40
Chickens, per pound, new	14
do do old	11
Turkeys do	12½
Geese, do	12
Ducks, do	08
COAL.	
Number 6, delivered	3 50
do 4 and 5 delivered	4 45
do 6, at yard	3 10
do 4 and 5, at yard	4 25

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The "Boys In Blue" to be Seen no More.

On New Year's Day Uncle Sam's soldier boys will don new uniforms.

Every man on the army lists, from the humblest teamster to General Miles, will have to cut his clothes by the general orders. Out-of-style coats and trousers will be discarded, and everything from shoes to campaign cap will be on a new pattern.

Campaign and dress uniforms will not be revolutionized. They will be improved. But the improvements are so radical that when the army steps out of its old chrysalis into its new garments it will be a sprucer and better dressed army than at any time during its history.

The general orders just issued are the result of the work of a board of officers who have been at work on the designs since last march. The necessity of having uniforms suitable for the varied climates of the United States, and which can also be used in frigid Alaska and the torrid Philippines, has made many changes imperative.

The full dress coat for all officers prescribed by the new regulations is a double-breasted frock of dark blue cloth, with standing collar, the skirt to hang from one-half to three-quarters the distance from the hip to the knee. The difference of grade between officers will be shown by insignia of cuffs and collar. The dress coat is a single-breasted sack.

For use in the tropics and for warm weather a single-breasted sack coat of white material, with standing collar, provided with two gold studs, is the proper thing. The regulations merely stipulate that "white material" is to be used, so that white duck or flannel can be used, according to the taste of the wearer.

The service uniform for officers is a sack coat of woolen or cotton material of olive-drab color, with four pockets covered with flaps, with trousers of same colored material. The coat must fit close around the waist, while about the chest it must be loose. Trousers are close-fitting from the knee to the shoe tops.

The enlisted men will wear a single-breasted sack coat of dark blue cloth, buttoned with six buttons, and with shoulder loops. The collar ornament will be of yellow metal similar to those of officers, but with the letters "U S." substituting the coat-of-arms. The new dress trousers are of sky-blue kersey, similar to those now worn. Then there is the service uniform of olive drab woolen or cotton goods.

The new overcoats are made fuller than the old ones and have something of the raglan effect. For the men who serve in Alaska and on other cold stations there is provision for fur clothing most suited to the climate.

A Disappointed Bridegroom.

Heartbroken, footsore, weary and apparently ill, a dilapidated, seedy-looking stranger who refused to give his name or place of residence is undergoing treatment at the Lock Haven almshouse. While nothing of his history can be learned it is known that six months ago he advertised himself in a matrimonial paper as well to do, owning a grocery store, and had had money to spend. He wanted a wife and prospective brides were requested to address their letters to Tampa, Florida. Among those who responded, he says, was a young Lock Haven widow. Photographs were exchanged and they soon became engaged. A few days ago he made his appearance there looking so much more like a "hobo" than a successful merchant that the widow declined to receive him. Sad, dejected and weary he made application to the poor department for relief, and is now whiling away his time at the almshouse.

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A Household Hint.

"I shall never permit myself to become a household drudge," said the young woman. "I shall endeavor to improve my mind."

"That is a good idea," answered Miss Cayenne; "but don't let your literary pursuits monopolize you. Remember there are times when currant jelly appeals to a man a great deal more than current fiction."—Washington Star.

Following the Usual Course.

"Did you call on her father?"

"Yes. He treated me well, too. I asked him for Maud, and he said it would be just as Maud wished. I thanked him, and then he said it was always customary for Maud's suitors to take him out to dinner. And he somewhat unpleasantly added that a dinner was about all there was in it for him."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Could Use It.

"Do you see that stylish young man over there? Well, he is going to marry Dora Van Bilt."

"You don't tell me! But does he know that her family has a 'skeleton in the closet?'"

"Yes; and he needs it."

"Needs it?"

"Sure! He's a medical student."—Chicago Daily News.

Cause for Apprehension.

Mrs. Hornbeak—Ezry, I'm afraid your ma is losin' her mind.

Farmer Hornbeak—What makes ye think so? I ain't noticed any purtickler signs of it.

Mrs. Hornbeak—Why, she's got so's she don't 'pear to think everybody that comes to the house is anxious to hear all about her gran'children.—Judge.

His Rush.

"Fools," he said, "rush in where angels fear to tread, you know."

"Yes," she answered; "by the way somebody was telling me the other day that you once went into a house where a man was beating his wife and tried to interfere. How did you get that scar over your left eye?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

Easy Enough.

"Quite a pretty girl called on me to-day to see if I wouldn't let her have my auto. Of course, I couldn't refuse her," said Lowe Comedy.

"Your auto?" snorted Hi Tragedy, "why, you haven't an automobile."

"O, no. Autograph."—Philadelphia Press.

Writes Often, as He Promised.

Friend—Is George very homesick—does he write home as often as he promised?

Father—Oh, he's not homesick, but he sometimes writes oftener than he thought to. You see, "going broke" is a new experience with him.—Detroit Free Press.

Well Qualified.

Editor—You say you want to manage our circulation department. What experience have you had?

Maj. Applejack—Well, suh, I made out the election returns from ouah district foh a number of yeahs, suh.—Judge.

Lost His Occupation.

"Goin' fishin'?"

"No; the fish jerk my line so, it allus wakes me up."

"Well, what have you got in sight, then?"

"Nuthn' tall. Done lost my spectacles!"—Atlanta Constitution.

A Far-Sighted Man.

Edith—Shall we go to the Biffs to play ping-pong, or shall we have them come over here?

Edgar—Oh! Let's go over there! Then, if we get tired we can quit and come home.—Puck.

The Good Old Kind.

The wireless mouse-trap fellow's plan
We herewith beg to question.
But know the mouseless mouse-trap is
A practical suggestion.
—N. Y. Times.

QUITE SEVERE.

She—What are you thinking about?

He—Nothing.

She—Isn't that rather egotistical?—The King.

Preference.

We praise the girl that's tailor-made,
For figure most divine.
But when it comes to marrying,
The ready maid is mine.
—Brooklyn Life.

How He Felt.

"Is it a severe attack?" asked his wife.

"Is it?" said the dyspeptic. "I feel as though I had eaten everything ever mentioned in a cookbook!"—Puck.

It Looked Suspicious.

"Do you think this alleged nobleman is an impostor?"

"I fear he must be. He tried to borrow $5 of me, instead of asking for $500."—Chicago Post.

Shutting Him Up.

Husband (angrily)—Why didn't you keep the secret I told you yesterday?

Wife (calmly)—If it was a secret why didn't you keep it yourself?—Chicago Daily News.

WASHINGTON.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, August 11, 1902.

Will Mr. Roosevelt be called upon to face a deficit in the treasury before he stands for re-election in 1904, is the serious question which officials of the administration are asking themselves and each other every day. As is well known, the deficit for the month of July was $7,507,876 but it was confidently predicted that there would be no deficit for August, for, it was said, July was always a month in which unusual expenses had to be met. But the figures for this month are not more encouraging. For the first four days of the month the expenses of the government exceeded the receipts by $55,437.62 and the officials of the treasury admit that the deficits for each succeeding month are likely to show an increase. Many of the expenditures authorized by the recent Congress are, as yet hardly under way and when the contractors' vouchers begin to come in there is every likelihood that the discrepancy between the receipts and expenses will be even greater. While the enormous surplus of $93,000,000 may not be wiped out during the current fiscal year, continuous deficits will necessitate the material reduction of the deposits in national banks, reducing the loanable funds of those banks and effecting general business most seriously. There are now numerous businessmen to be found who predict that any serious check to the financial operations of the country will be followed by a rapid demoralization of the markets and that recovery will be impossible until many of the trusts, whose stock is composed very largely of "water," have been wiped out of existence. Such an operation must be attended by a serious panic and resultant "hard times," and the effect on the hopes of the administration would be most disastrous. When the receipts and expenses of the government for August and September have been completed it will be possible to forecast the entire fiscal year and then the President and Secretary Shaw will be able to see what will be the conditions against which they will have to contend.

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No better evidence of the insincerity of republican protestations of an intention of reforming the tariff and curtailing the power of the trusts could be desired than is afforded by the Republican Text Book. Although over eighty pages are devoted to the subject of protection not one word is said on the subject of revision of the present schedules. On the other hand, every effort is made to convince the voter that protection is essential to prosperity. No space is devoted to the subject of reciprocity and the last speech of Mr. McKinley is rigidly excluded. The doctrines he enunciated at Buffalo have not proved agreeable to the trust magnates, the beneficiaries of the protective policy and other supporters of the republican party and it would not do to include in the Text Book anything offensive to those influential promoters of republican interests. Representative Babcock is the author of the Text Book but no word is to be found therein in support of the principles he so freely proclaimed early in the last session of Congress, to the effect that it was criminal to maintain the tariff schedules on goods which were being sold to the foreigner for 35 to 40 per cent less than to the American consumer. It will be remembered that Mr. Babcock's constituents adopted a resolution approving his utterances on the tariff question but doubtless Chairman Babcock's intercourse with eastern capitalists has convinced him of the error of his former views. If his Wisconsin constituents have been convinced so suddenly, no word to that effect has reached Washington.

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The greatest satisfaction is expressed by democratic leaders in Washington over the policy which Mr. Ben Cable has adopted for the conduct of the fall campaign. Mr. Cable says that only the best men shall be selected for nomination for Congress on the democratic ticket and he is determined that in every instance where merit can win it shall have the opportunity. Mr. Cable appreciates that the men who represent the democratic party in the House during the fifty-eighth Congress will have much to do with the success of the party in 1904 and he feels certain that if every democrat sent to Congress is a peer among his contemporaries on the other side of the chamber the chances of success for the democratic party in 1904 will be more than doubled.

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A most interesting statement, made recently by Commissioner of Pensions Ware is to the effect that during the last session of Congress special pension bills were passed which added 1,000 names to the pension rolls and general legislation was enacted which would eventually add 10,000 names to the already long list of pensioners. It has been the custom of pension commissioners, for a number of years past, to announce that each year had witnessed the extreme limit in the number of pensioners and that the year following would see a reduction in the list. Such, however has not been the case. As the number became reduced by deaths, Congress promptly took steps to increase the number of eligibles by new legislation and now, thirty-seven years after the close of the Civil war there are on the rolls but 674 less than one million pensioners. With the constant stream of applications from veterans of the Spanish war and from the soldiers who have seen duty in the Philippines there is little promise of relief for the tax payers for many years to come. The unfortunate fact that every pension usually means a goodly number of votes for the member of Congress who is instrumental in securing it is one of the deplorable factors which have served to enlarge the pension rolls beyond all reason.

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The difficulty which the Navy Department is having in securing a sufficient number of enlisted men to man the ships which are being rapidly put into commission is a sad commentary on the methods and "traditions" of the navy. It is acknowledged by those in a position to know that it is no less difficult for a camel to go through the proverbial needle's eye than for an enlisted man to secure a commission. This is not true of the army and, as a consequence, the War Department has little difficulty in securing a full quota of enlistments. When the naval officials see fit to abandon the old time traditions and make promotion easy of attainment for men of ability and character the difficulty they now experience will disappear.

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LACKAWANNA RAILROAD.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

In effect Jan. 26, 1902.

STATIONS.	EAST. A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M
NORTHUMBERLAND	6 35	1.50	10 00	5 25
Cameron	6 47	2 01	10 10	5 34
Danville	6 57	2 11	10 19	5 43
Catawissa	7 10	2 23	10 32	5 56
Rupert	7 16	2 29	10 37	6 01
Bloomsburg	7 20	2 33	10 41	6 05
Espy	7 28	2 40	10 48	6 13
Lime Ridge	7 35	2 46	10 54	6 20
Willow Grove	7 40	2 50	10 57	6 24
Briarcreek	7 44	2 53	10 59	6 27
Berwick	7 50	2 58	11 05	6 34
Beach Haven	7 58	3 03	11 12	6 41
Hick's Ferry	8 07	3 09	11 17	6 47
Shickshinny	8 17	3 20	11 31	6 59
Hunlock's	8 27	3 31	11 39	7 09
Nanticoke	8 34	3 38	11 44	7 14
Avondale	8 37	3 42	11 47	7 22
Plymouth	8 44	3 47	11 52	7 28
Plymouth Junction	8 47	3 52	11 55	7 30
Kingston	8 55	4 00	11 59	7 38
Bennett	8 58	4 03	12 02	7 42
Forty Fort	9 00	4 07	12 04	7 44
Wyoming	9 05	4 12	12 08	7 48
West Pittston	9 10	4 17	12 12	7 54
Susquehanna Ave	9 13	4 20	12 14	7 56
Pittston	9 19	4 24	12 17	8 01
Duryea	9 23	4 29	12 20	8 06
Lackawanna	9 26	4 32	12 22	8 10
Taylor	9 32	4 40	12 28	8 17
Bellevue	9 37	4 45	12 32	8 21
SCRANTON	9 42	4 50	12 35	8 25
	A.M	P.M.	P.M	P.M

STATIONS.	WEST. A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
SCRANTON	6 35	10 10	1 55	6 10
Bellevue	6 39	10 13	1 59	6 14
Taylor	6 43	10 17	2 03	6 18
Lackawanna	7 48	10 24	2 10	6 24
Duryea	6 53	10 28	2 13	6 26
Pittston	6 57	10 33	2 17	6 30
Susquehanna Ave	7 00	10 37	2 19	6 32
West Pittston	7 03	10 41	2 23	6 35
Wyoming	7 08	10 46	2 27	6 40
Forty Fort	7 12	10 49	2 31	6 43
Bennett	7 21	10 52	2 34	6 47
Kingston	7 21	10 56	2 40	6 58
Plymouth	7 30	10 00	2 45	6 58
Avondale	7 35	11 05	2 49	7 03
Nanticoke	7 39	11 09	2 54	7 08
Hunlock's	7 45	11 13	2 58	7 14
Shickshinny	7 55	11 19	3 06	7 21
Hick's Ferry	8 07	f11 31	3 20	f7 31
Beach Haven	8 13	11 43	3 30	7 41
Berwick	8 19	11 48	3 37	7 48
Briarcreek	f8 23	11 54	f3 44	7 53
Willow Grove	f8 27	11 01	f3 50	f8 00
Lime Ridge	8 31	f12 05	3 54	f8 03
Espy	8 37	12 09	3 58	8 02
Bloomsburg	8 44	12 22	4 06	8 17
Rupert	8 47	12 22	4 12	8 20
Catawissa	8 54	12 25	4 15	8 28
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Cameron	9 21	12 57	4 48	8 52
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a.m.	a.m.	p.m	p.m.		a.m	p.m	p.m	a.m
7.10	12.10	6.00	2.15	Bloomsb'g	8.50	2.37	6.25	6.10
7.08	12.08	5.55	2.10	" P. & P	8.52	2.39	6.27	
7.03	12.02	5.50	2.08	" Main st.	8.55	2.42	6.30	
7.53	11.53	5.42	1 50	Paper Mill	9.05	2.52	6.40	
6.50	11.50	5.39	1.45	Light St.	9.08	2.55	6.44	6.37
6.40	11.42	5.31	1.30	Orangeville	9.16	3.03	6.53	6.50
6.29	11.33	5.21	1.00	Forks	9.26	3.13	6.03	7.10
6.25	11.29	5.17	12.53	Zaner's	9.30	4.17	6.07	7.35
6.18	11.21	5.08	12.45	Stillwater	9.38	4.25	6.13	7.45
6.08	11.13	5.00	12.38	Benton	9.46	3.33	7.23	8.00
6.04	11.09	4.56	12.10	Edson's	9.50	3.37	7 27	8.30
6.02	11 06	4.53	12.05	Cole's Cr'k	9.53	3.40	7.31	8.40
6.53	11.02	4.48	11.53	Laubach	9.58	3.45	7.41	8.46
6.43	10.51	4.38	11.45	Central	10 05	3.52	7.51	9.0
5.40	10.48	4.35	11.30	Jam. City	10.08	3.55	7.55	29.
am	am	p m	p m		a m	pm	p m	a m
LEAVE				Corrected to Jan. 30, 1902.				ARRIVE

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Reduced Rates via Pennsylvania Railroad for Mt. Gretna Farmers' Exposition.

On account of the Farmers' Exposition, to be held at Mt. Gretna, Pa., August 18 to 22, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round trip tickets to Mt. Gretna and return, at rate of one fare for the round trip, from principal stations between Altoona and Bryn Mawr; on the Northern Central Railway between Sunbury and Lutherville, inclusive, and on the Philadelphia and Erie Railroad Division east of and including Renova. Tickets will be sold August 18 to 22, inclusive, good to return on day of issue only. For information in regard to train service and specific rates application should be made to ticket agents. 1t

Reduced Rates to Butte, Mont., via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account Meeting International Mining Congress.

On account of the meeting of the International Mining Congress, at Butte, Mont., September 1 to 5, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Butte and return, on August 16, 20, 21, 26, and 27, good to return to original starting point not later than September 30, at reduced rates. For specific rates, stop-over privileges, etc., consult nearest ticket agent. 1t

Pennsylvania Railroad.

Time Table in effect May 25, 1902

Scranton(Lk H)lv	A.M. 6 38	A.M 9 38	P.M. 1 42	P.M. 4 27
Pittston " "	7 06	10 00	2 10	4 52
Wilkesbarre....lv	A.M. 7 25	A.M. 10 35	P.M. 2 45	P.M 6 00
Plym'th Ferry "	7 32	10 42	2 52	6 07
Nanticoke..... "	7 42	10 50	3 01	6 17
Mocanaqua..... "	8 01	11 07	3 20	6 37
Wapwallopen. "	8 12	11 16	3 31	6 47
Nescopeck .....ar	8 18	11 26	3 42	7 00
Pottsville.....lv	A.M. 5 50		P.M. 11 55	P.M. 2 45
Hazleton ..... "	7 05		12 52	3 05
Tomhicken..... "	7 22		1 11	3 15
Fern Glen..... "	7 28		1 18	3 22
Rock Glen..... "	7 35			
Nescopeck.....ar	8 00		1 45	4 00
Catawissa.....				
Nescopeck.....lv	A.M. 8 18	A.M. $11 26	P.M. 3 42	P.M 7 00
Creasy..... "	8 30	11 36	3 52	7 06
Espy Ferry..... "	8 42	11 46	4 02	7 20
E. Bloomsburg"	8 47	11 50	4 06	7 25
Catawissa.....ar	8 55	P.M. 11 57	4 13	7 32
Catawissa.....lv	8 55	11 57	4 13	7 32
S. Danville..... "	9 14	12 15	4 31	7 51
Sunbury..... "	9 35	12 40	4 55	8 15
Sunbury.....lv	A.M. 9 42	P.M. $12 48	P.M. $ 5 10	P.M 9 46
Lewisburg ....ar	10 13	1 45	5 40	
Milton..... "	10 08	1 39	5 35	10 07
Williamsport. "	11 00	1 41	6 30	10 55
Lock Haven... "	11 59	2 20	7 31	
Renovo ..... "	A.M.	3 00	8 30	
Gate..... "		8 25		
Lock Haven...lv	P.M. $12 10	P.M. 12 45		
Bellefonte.....ar	1 05	1 44		
Tyrone..... "	2 20	3 00		
Philipsburg... "	4 35	4 02		
Clearfield ..... "	5 25	4 48		
Pittsburg..... "	6 55	10 45		
Sunbury.....lv	A.M. 9 50	P.M. 1 59	P.M. 5 20	P.M. 8 31
Harrisburg....ar	11 30	3 15	6 50	10 10
Philadelphia..ar	P.M. 3 17	P.M. 6 23	P.M. 10 20	A.M. 1 4 25
Baltimore..... "	3 11	6 00	9 45	2 30
Washington... "	4 10	7 15	10 55	4 05
Sunbury lv	A.M. 10 00	P.M. 2 15		
Lewistown Jc ar	P.M. 11 48	4 05		
Pittsburg..... "	6 55	10 45		
Harrisburg..... lv	A.M. 11 45	P.M. 15 00	P.M. 7 15	P.M 10 25
Pittsburg.....ar	6 55	A.M. 11 50	A.M. 1 50	A.M $ 5 30

‡ Weekdays. Daily. f Flag station

Pittsburg.....lv	P.M. 1 7 10	p.m 1 9 00	a.m. 1 3 00	a.m 1 8 00
Harrisburg.....ar	A.M. 1 2 00	A.M. 1 4 20	1 9 30	P.M. 1 3 10
Pittsburg.....lv		a.m.	p.m.	a.m. † 8 00
Lewistown Jc. "		† 7 30		P.M. † 3 00
Sunbury..... ar		† 9 20		† 4 50
Washington....lv	p.m. 10 40	A.M.	A.M. † 7 50	a.m 10 50
Baltimore..... "	11 41	1 4 40	† 8 40	11 45
Philadelphia... "	11 20	1 4 25	1 8 30	11 40
Harrisburg.....lv	A.M. 1 3 35	A.M. 1 7 55	A.M. †11 40	P.M. † 3 20
Sunbury..... ar	1 5 00	1 9 36	1 08	† 5 05
Pittsburg.....lv	P.M. $12 45		A.M. 1 8 00	A.M. $ 8 00
Clearfield ..... "	3 50			9 28
Philipsburg... "	4 40			10 12
Tyrone..... "	7 00		1	12 25
Bellefonte..... "	8 16		9 32	1 05
Lock Haven...ar	9 15		10 30	2 10
Erie.....lv	P.M. 1 5 35	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Kane..... "	8 45		† 5 00	
Renovo..... "	11 50	† 6 45	10 30	
Lock Haven.... "	12 38	† 7 35	11 25	1 3 00
Williamsport.. "	A.M. 2 29	1 8 30	P.M. †12 40	4 00
Milton..... "	2 23	9 17	1 25	4 46
Lewisburg..... "		9 05	1 15	4 42
Sunbury..... ar	3 24	9 46	1 55	5 15
Sunbury.....lv	A.M. 16 45	A.M. 1 9 55	P.M. † 2 00	P.M. † 5 25
S. Danville..... "	7 11	10 17	2 21	5 50
Catawissa..... "	7 32	10 35	2 36	6 08
E. Bloomsburg"	7 37	10 43	2 43	6 15
Espy Ferry..... "	7 42	f10 47		f 6 19
Creasy..... "	7 53	10 56	2 55	6 30
Nescopeck ....ar	8 02	11 05	3 05	6 40
Catawissa lv	A.M. 7 32	A.M. †10 38	P.M. 12 36	P.M † 7 05
Nescopeck.....	8 23			6 08
Rock Glen.....ar		11 22	5 05	7 28
Fern Glen..... "	8 51	11 28	5 32	7 34
Tomhicken..... "	8 58	11 33	5 38	7 42
Hazleton ..... "	9 19	11 58	5 59	8 02
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Nanticoke ..... "	8 53	11 54	3 49	7 19
Plym'th Ferry "	9 03	12 02	3 57	7 28
Wilkesbarre.... "	9 10	12 10	4 05	8 35
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Scranton " "	10 08	1 24	5 24	9 05

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HON. CHARLES H. DICKERMAN

Of Milton, Pa., Candidate For Congress in The Sixteenth Dist ict.

Hon. Charles H. Dickerman, of Milton, the choice of the Northumberland county Democracy for Congress, is a man of broad and liberal views, with a wide and varied business experience, enjoying an extended acquaintance with leading public men, a ripe scholar, keen observer and possessed of almost unerring judgment. He was born at Harford, Susquehanna county, this State, in 1843. He was the son of the late Dr. Clark Dickerman, a well-known practitioner in that part of the State. After his graduation from the public schools and the Harford Academy, where he distinguished himself in higher mathematics, he started out on his own account to secure a higher education and fit himself for the responsibiiities for the active business career he was destined to enjoy. To enable him to do this he taught school for several years with the same marked success that has attended his efforts in everything great or small he has ever undertaken. He entered the office of his uncle, the late Daniel Dickinson, of Binghamton, N. Y., one of the leading lawyers of the Empire State, and began the study of law. He was never admitted to the bar, but he acquired a general knowledge of the law, which has proven of great value to him in the conduct of the large business operations of which he has been the practical head during the past 30 years. Upon leaving the office of his uncle he became bookkeeper for a large coal company at Beaver Meadow. Some years later he engaged in the coal commission business at Bethlehem, Pa. He was next made the manager of the Chapman Slate Company, at Chapman Quarries, Pa., and it was in this capacity that his actual business career began. His keen perception and practical business methods soon brought him to the attention of leading men and capitalists and won their acquaintanceship and confidence. In 1880 he went to Milton and purchased an interest in the Milton Car Works, and became its general manager. The success of this great enterprise during the twenty years he was at its head, was phenomenal, and is a monument to his busiuess skill and unerring judgment.

For thirty years Mr. Dickerman has been an extensive employer of labor, and it has always been his aim to be brought in personal contact with his employes. No man takes a deeper interest in the welfare of the workingman, and keeps in closer touch with their conditions and needs. He has always enjoyed their confidence and respect, and not one of the thousands of men who have been employed in any of the varied industrial institutions which Mr. Dickerman has been connected during the past quarter of a century can truthfully claim that he has not been justly and liberally dealt with.

This is, in brief, the history of the life and business career of the man whom the Northumberland county Democracy puts forward as its choice to represent the district in the National Congress. It is an honorable career that was carved out by its maker, who in his young years overcame great obstacles in his determined efforts to fit himself for an honorable life work. He has achieved a prominent factor in the business world because he possessed the ability and courage and energy.

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QUAY'S RETURN.

The Old Man Hastens From the Maine Woods to Muzzle Cousin Sam.

Taking a liberal supply of bait and the favorite remedy for snake bites, Quay hied himself away two weeks ago to the Maine woods, and had it published broadcast that he would not return until after September 1, when he would straightway open the campaign. In the meantime his Royal Highness was supposed to be as inaccessibie to human kind as if he had become an inhabitant of Mars. But one or two favorite eunuchs were to be let into the secret of his whereabouts in order that his Websterian intellect might have rest and his fishing be undisturbed by vulgar office seekers.

If there is anything that Quay dislikes more than criminal actions that oblige an honest man to plead the statute of limitations, it is office seekers. Having been their chief all his life he well knows what a contemptible, hypocritical, thieving lot they are as a whole. He doesn't like an office seeker. He likes men who will bend their backs to do his dirty bidding, and instead of asking for office as a reward simply keep on bending their backs until he is ready to invite them into a place he has prepared for them and then step down and out without a whimper when he says "go."

THE CAT CAME BACK.

Suddenly he dropped back into civilization last week all unexpected and out of breath. He had learned in some mysterious way, perhaps in a pipe dream, that his protege, Cousin Sammy, had taken another fit; that he had broken loose and slopped over, making what was already a bad mess a great deal worse. He lost no time in seeking his cousin's ear and gave him, with variations, the advice he once gave Governor Beaver: "Dear Sammy, don't talk, just keep still and look wise; I'll do all the talking."

Pennypacker's break was bad enough, but to jump in again and declare that he was sober when he compared Quay with Shakespeare, and that after more mature deliberation he is satisfied that his Cousin Matt is greater than Webster and Clay is enough to create the suspicion that he wants to see Quay's ticket defeated; and that he is willing to do his full share toward the result, even to the extent of playing the fool and making himself the laughing stock of the nation. So bad was this second break that the Philadelphia *Press* and the *Inquirer*, both of which have been trying hard to support the Quay ticket, never mentioned it. However, if Charles Emory Smith's stomach doesn't rebel, and he can keep up his crow diet a few weeks more, he will be prepared to say in the *Press* that Pennypacker is right; that when one gets to know a little of his public services Quay is found to be superior to Webster in intellect, greater than Clay in oratory and manners, and to tower far above Washington in honesty and patriotism. As between Pennypacker and Smith it is the toss of a penny to decide which occupies the more humiliating position before the public.

No one knows better than Quay that Pennypacker has badly overdone the taffy business. The Old Man is not a fool and unless he is in his dotage, he knows as well as anybody that sensible men are simply disgusted at any one who attempts to praise him for anything except what he is and has been for a quarter of a century—an unscrupulous machine boss whose brazen effrontery has enabled him to maintain his grip and his freedom in spite of his political wickedness.

NO CHARM IN MAINE WOODS.

Since Pennypacker has opened the campaign Quay has lost all interest in the Maine woods. He brought with him all his bait and unused snake bite remedy, and will spend his vacation at Atlantic City where he can hear what the wild waves are saying and keep his thumb on Cousin Sam until the time comes to send his on his starring tour over the state to deliver speeches carefully written by some one with more horse sense than he seems to possess. According to the reporters Mr. Quay's Sunday devotions were sadly disturbed and his Christian spirit sorely tried during his first Sabbath at the seashore, because of Governor Stone's pig headedness in refusing to allow Cousin Sam to act as Governor a few days in order to get his hand in. Quay undertook to dictate in Cousin Sammy's interest, what the Governor should do in regard to the troops, sent to prevent disturbance in the coal field. He became so abusive that the Governor told him he could go to the place where "the worm dieth not and the fire is not quenched." The disrespect of the Governor for men of the Daniel Henry Webster Clay sort is greatly to be deplored.

QUAY'S $20,000 BET.

We have heard nothing lately in reference to the $20,000 which Quay advertised as having been placed in a Pittsburg bank to bet on Pennypacker's election. Possibly the Old Man's spiritual adviser has persuaded him, inasmuch as he is the last Buffalo bull on the plains, a dying oak among saplings, that he ought to cease from evil and prepare for his latter end as the exhorters say. Perhaps he may have heard of the New York man whose vote was rejected last fall because he had wagered two boxes of cigars on the election. The case was carried to court and the judge sustained the disfranchisement on the ground that the law prohibiting betting is based on good sense; that the man who bets on the result of an election is tempted to bribe voters, and that betting is but a vicious species of gambling.

Of course on one familiar with Mr. Quay would for a moment suspect that he could be induced to bribe anybody, nor would he be guilty of violating the law by gambling, but for some reason the matter of the $20,000 which he is just dying to bet, is very quiet at present. Perhaps he has read the order of Supt. of Police McAluse declaring that he will arrest all persons in the city of Pittsburg who indulge in betting. Possibly, but not likely, he has read the election laws of Pennsylvania which declare:

"If any person shall make any wager or bet, upon the result of any election within this commonwealth, or shall offer to make any such bet or wager either by verbal proclamation thereof, or by any written or printed advertisement, challenge or invite any person or persons to make such bet or wager, upon conviction thereof he or they shall forfeit and pay three times the amount so bet or offered to be bet.

"It shall be the duty of every Judge, Sheriff, Mayor, Alderman, Justice of the Peace or Constable knowing of any person having offended against this act to commence proceedings against the person so offending, and it shall be the duty of grand juries of respective counties within this commonwealth to make a presentment of all such offenders coming within their knowledge."

The law also makes it the duty of those in charge of the poor to bring action in cases of a wager and collect the money for the benefit of the poor. Now since their attention is called to it, no doubt all the Pittsburg judges, and other officers, named in the act, will tumble over one another to perform their sworn duty and bring proceedings to collect $60,000 from the Hon. Matthew Stanley Quay, United States Senator from Pennsylvania, for violating the statute law of the commonwealth. The statute of limitations runs two years against this offense and hence that favorite method of defense on his part cannot be resorted to if the Pittsburg officers are in a hurry to do their duty.

This is the man whose proxy the Pittsburg reformers consider worthy of a place at the head of their ticket. Familiar as they are with his record; knowing as they do of his double dealing and general political crookedness for twenty-five years, they make themselves simply ridiculous by endorsing him when they are trying to rid themselves of the very ills which his machine made possible

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While all of these have not as yet been selected, there will be the following persons among them, viz:

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In the sale of the above emphasized items we cater to your economy. These special linens are now at their best and this is the one chance of a six months to replenish the home with these needfuls at lower prices than you are in the habit of paying; yes much lower prices. Kindly investigate.

Bleached Damasks.

The Bleached Damasks start at 20 cents.
60c all linen damask 62 inches wide at 49 cents.
75c all linen damask 62 inches wide at 65 cents.
85c all linen damask 72 inches wide at 69 cents.
98c all linen damask 72 inches wide at 78 cents.
1.10 all linen damask 72 inches wide at 89 cents.
1.45 all linen damask 72 inches wide at 1.29.
1.75 all linen damask 72 inches wide at 1.50.
2.35 all linen damask 72 inches wide at 1.85.

Pillow Slips.

45x36 pillow slips 12½c.
45x36 Utica pillow slips 16c.
45x36 " hem'ched p. slips 25c.

Bed Spreads.

We make this the bed spread chance of the year. Can't always divide profits with you but we do it now.
1.25 bed spread at 95c.
2.75 " " " 2.39
2.00 " " " 1.75

Table Damasks.

Bleached or Unbleached. Every wanted grade, every wanted width, and prices cut to the very narrowest profit. Look ahead people will appreciate this chance.

Unbleached table Linen

25c Unbleached table linen at 20 cents.
45c Unbleached table linen at 39 cents.
50c Unbleached table linen at 44 cents.
56c Unbleached table linen at 45 cents.
90c Unbleached table linen at 70 cents.
1.00 Unbleached table linen at 89 cents.

Sheets and Pillow Slips.

They are ready to use, and at these prices they cost you but very little more than the materials. An economy of labor as well as price.
81x90 sheets at 51c.
81x90 " anchor brand at 68c.
90x90 " " " " 75c.
81x90 hemstitched sheets, anchor brand at 85 cents.
90x90 hemstitched sheets, anchor brand at 95 cents.

The Sale of Towels and Kitchen Crashes.

Plain cotton and linen Towelings: handsome glass towelings, all bought for this event. 10 cent towelings at 8½, 12½ cent towelings at 11 cents: and so you will find them reduced.

WE GIVE A FLY CATCHER TO EACH CUSTOMER THIS WEEK.

F. P. PURSEL.

The French actress, Sarah Bernhardt, is despondent, and says: "I am an old, worn out woman. My days are over. It would be merciful if death would spare me the bitterness of conscious decrepitude." The trouble with Sarah is that she drained the cup of life to its very drop in her younger days. Now when age has overtaken her, she looks back over the past and finds little to commend and much to regret. It is always so.

Silk tassels and pencils for programs for sale at this office. tf

TAILOR-MADE SUITS.

N. S. Tingley has accepted the agency for Reinach, Ullman & Co. of Chicago, merchant tailors, and is ready to supply made-to measure clothing at prices lower than can be obtained elsewhere. He has a large line of samples to select from. His place of business is the third floor of the COLUMBIAN building. 4t.

"MONARCH PATS."

Great Shoes, In Every Leather.

The Patent Leather Shoe That Won't Break Thro'.

Try a pair. We have the exclusive sale.

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W. C. McKINNEY, 8 E. Main St.

The Farmers National Bank of Bloomsburg, Pa.,

Solicits your account and extends the invitation to all, no matter how small, no matter how large.

THE FARMERS NATIONAL BANK is prepared to extend to all its customers every reasonable accommodation consistent with conservative banking.

WM. S. MOYER, PRES. J. N. THOMPSON, CASHIER.

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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TIME TABLE IN EFFECT JUNE 1, 1902, and until further notice

Cars leave Bloom for Espy, Almedia, Lime Ridge, Berwick and intermediate points as follows:

A. M. 5:00, 5:40, 6:20, 7:00, 7:40, 8:20, 9:00, 9:40, 10:20, 11:00, 11:40.

P. M. 12:20, 1:00, 1:40, 2.20, 3:00, 3:40, 4:20, 5:00, 5:40, 6:20, 7:00, 7:40, 8:20, 9:00, 10:20 and (11:00 Saturday nights only.)

Leaving depart from Berwick one hour from time as given above, commencing at 6:00 a. m.

Leave Bloom for Catawissa A. M. 6:20, 7:00, 7:40, 8:20, 9:00, 9:40, 10:00, 11:40.

P. M. 12:20, 1:00 1:40, 2:20, 3:00, 3:40, 4:20, 5:00, 5:40, 6:20, 7:00, 7.40, 8:20 9:00 9:40, 10:20 and (11:00 Saturday nights only.

Cars returning depart from Catawissa 20 minutes from time as given above.

D. G. HACKETT, Superintendent.

Calendars for 1903.

Orders for calendars are always taken early. We have a large and beautiful line of samples on exhibition at this office, and we feel confident that anyone who proposes to use calendars can save money by dealing here. Our prices are lower than those of traveling salesmen, for we have no expenses to pay for cariage etc. Call and see samples. No obligation to buy if you do not find what you want. tf.

Centennial Envelopes.

Only a few thousand more of the official Centennial Envelopes are still on hand. No more will be ordered, and the opportunity to get them will soon be gone. They will be just as good for use after the Centennial as before, if not used up. They can be purchased by the pack at Rishton's, Wilson's, Hartman's, Bidleman's, J. W. Moyer's. In quantities of 250 up, they can be purchased at this office, printed or blank. 2t

[Both Telephones.]

IMPORTED CIGARS.

Do you know that we keep the largest line of

Really Fine Cigars

in Bloomsburg. We have such goods as the Genuine Imported Henry Clay, Bock Panatilla, Manual Garcia Alonzo, Principe De Gales.

SUCH KEY WEST GOODS.

El Egancia, Flor De Warren, La Perferancia.

Our line of Domestic goods is full and complete.

We solicit a trial of our Cigars.

—o—

W. S. RISHTON,

Market Square Pharmacist.

THE PYROTECHNIC PROGRAM FOR CENTENNIAL.

The committee on fire works for the Centennial Celebration on Thursday awarded the contract to the Lloyd Fire Works Company, of New York. The Neal cinder tip has been selected for the display, which will be arranged and fired by an expert from the Lloyd Company. The display will be the finest ever seen in this section of the state. Following is the program complete:

Salvo of twenty-one (21)—Lloyd's Aerial Maroons exploding high in air with terrific report.

Twenty-four (24) Exhibition Rockets—four pound fired vertically, producing Violets, Pansies, Pinks, Wisteria, Palmettos, Geraniums, Primroses and blossoms of every hue and color.

Twelve (12) Bombshells three break as thirty-six inch. Each Shell breaking three times into different effects showing Sheen of Diamond Dust, Bursting Meteors, Circles of Silver Rays, Golden Light and Celestial Showers.

Grand Illumination of the grounds, A Mass of Scarlet Flames Illuminated Wave of Trembling Light.

Device Welcome in large illuminated letters of various colors, flanked with Golden streams and surmounted with Colored Batteries.

Twelve (12) Display Rockets four pound Exhibiting Sea Shells, Hobgoblins, Crystal Pendants, Salamanders, Satellites radiant with Jewels and Scarlet Feathers.

Eight (8) Bombshells fifteen inch Dropping, as from the Clouds Silk Worms, Crowns of Jewels, Crystal Drops, Wisteria Asteroids and Blazing Aerolites.

Twelve (12) Whirlwinds, Golden Pillars of Fire, inlaid with Bronze and Rayonet Fires.

Twelve (12) Parachute Rockets six pound discharging at highest altitudes Triple Asteroids of changing colors, suspended from Parachutes and twinkling while floating through space.

Six (6) Mammoth Bombshells eighteen inch size. Fired from steel Mortars to a height of six hundred feet and carrying dazzling Chrysolites, Huge Cocoons, Colossal Crescents and Gigantic Diadems.

Eight (8) large Mines emptying out Hosts of Fairies in gorgeous apparel.

Twelve (12) Hanging Chain Rockets eight pound. Each Rocket at a heighth of one thousand feet discharging long strings of Hanging Lights, changing colors and disappearing in a cloud of Silver Mist.

Eight (8) extra Saucissons Swarms of Bees and Clouds of Yellow Jackets.

Flight of twelve (12) six pound Fancy Rockets Exhibiting Hornets, Wasps, Cygnets, Silver Trailers, Vipers, Japanese Wagglers.

Six (6) Monster twenty-four inch Bombshells spreading the Heavens with Butterflies, Emerald Starlets, Cockatoos, Diamond Collars, Violet Rain and Waves of Fire.

Twelve (12) Brilliant Fountains Sprays of Richly colored Sparks.

Twelve (12) Batteries Gattling Guns and Colored Bullets.

Twelve (12) Fancy Rockets four pound showing Violet, Chinese Yellow, Chrome White and Tyrian Stars.

Six (6) Mammoth Spreader Bombshells thirty inch displaying Purple Mantles, Golden Lutes, Hissing Fiery Serpents, Jewelled Canopies, Essence of Moonlight and Golden Spangles.

Flight of ten (10) Bombshells fired simultaneously, an acre of Variegated Gems in all the latest colors for 1902. Brighton Beach effects.

Twelve (12) Chain Rockets six pound at a height of one thousand feet discharging long Chains of hanging Lights, resembling Silver Wire strung with Jewels, changing colors, while floating through space.

Eight (8) Neapolitan—as thirty-six inch—three break Bombshells. Each Shell on reaching highest altitude breaking into three distinct Displays in beautiful effects.

Combination of Cracker Mines and Saucissons twelve (12). Eruptions of Colored Jewels and Whirling Dragons.

Device, Grove of Jeweled Palms. A beautiful Grove of Golden Palms tipped with Jewels and edged with Emeralds. One hundred feet long.

Device, Acrobatic Monkey doing stunts on a horizontal bar—grotesquely attired. Comical and entertaining.

Device, Good Night. Depicted in letters of fire crowned with colored Jewels and fringed with Silver Spray.

Device, Sign 20x20, four hundred square feet, showing an excellent likeness of President Roosevelt.

Niagara Falls. A representation of the Mighty Cataract in new dress—for 1902—one hundred feet long.

Final Gigantic Boquet of one hundred and fifty Rockets. An immense Boquet of many colored blossoms, surmounted by a Wheat Sheaf of Gold.

THE STATE AT A GLANCE.

—Jesse Francis, of Haneyville, who last fall violated the game laws by selling deer after he shot it, was fined $100 and costs in Williamsport Friday.

—Muncy people are alarmed by the extension of the traction company's line between Williamsport and Montoursville, believing that it will be the means of taking their business to the larger towns.

—John Williamson, of Wilkesbarre is the first man to register as a Republican candidate for a county office. He is an aspirant for county treasurer. The registration fee he was compelled to pay was $1,200.

—The United Traction Company, of Reading, has paid the city $11,387 in settlement of a claim for paving between the tracks. The city has claims for nearly $50,000 more, which the company will resist.

—The smallpox plague has spent itself at Mt. Carmel, and the last of the patients left the pest house on Saturday. The siege lasted four months, and during this time 94 cases were under treatment. There were 13 deaths.

—While in the woods above the Trevorton road, near Shamokin Ed Miller was bitten in the leg by a snake. A companion named Shade, saved his life by sucking out the poison, a teaspoonful of greenish fluid being extracted.

—Heart broken over the death of his son, whidh occurred Thursday morning in Williamsport, Clay Fisher while preparing after dinner to go to the cemetery to select a burial place, fell dead. Father and son will be buried side by side Saturday. The father was 62 years old and weighed nearly 200 pounds.

—Postmaster U. S. Boyer, of Clarkstown, Lycoming county, on Monday left his 8 year old son Chester on the mower in the hay field, while he went to an adjoining field. When he returned he found his boy screaming, with both feet severed at the ankles, they having been cut off by the knives of the mower. The legs were amputated near the knee, but the child's condition is very critical.

—The Pennsylvania Railroad passenger train which leaves Sunbury at 5:49 p. m. for Mt. Carmel ran into a herd of fifteen cows about two miles out of the county seat Wednesday evening. One of the bovines was cut in half and five of the others so badly injured that they had to be shot. The front wheels of the engine was thrown off the track, but no one was injured. The cattle were an extra fine herd belonging to W. B. Shaffer.

—Patterson Grove campmeeting has been postponed for two weeks and will open on the evening of August 26 and extend into the first week of September. The postponement was made on account of the lateness of the season. The majority of the farmers who have cottages on the ground would be unable to occupy them if the camp opened next week as announced. A period of dry weather which is hoped for will also put the grounds in better condition for camping.

PURELY PERSONAL

J. J. Robinson went to New York on Monday.

Miss Ida Jury is the guest of friends at Scranton.

H. J. Achenbach is back from a sojourn at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Robbins have returned to New York.

Mrs. Dr. H. C. Reese is quite ill. Dr. J. S. John is the attending physician.

Miss Martha Walp, of Nanticoke is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Jacoby in town.

Paul R. Everly combined business with pleasure in a trip to Williamsport on Saturday.

Rev. A. Houtz, of Orangeville, made a business call in the COLUMBIAN office while in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leverett of Philadelphia will arrive in town on Saturday for a visit with relatives.

Chas. W. Derr, formerly of Bloomsburg, now Superintendent of Schools of Montour county, was in town Tuesday.

Miss Sadie Goldsmith who has been visiting her sister Mrs. B. A. Gidding, returned to her home at Mt. Carmel today.

Miss Jessie Hartman, after visiting her sister Mrs. J. W. Bennett at Cumberland, Md., for a week has returned home.

Dr. M. J. Hess, wife and family, have arrived home from a week's outing at Eagles Mere, Highland Lake and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Wirt and daughter Miss Pauline departed on Monday for Paulsmiths, N. Y. where they will spend the remainder of August.

Miss Delia Geisinger of Espy returned on Tuesday from a visit at Millersburg. Today she, accompanied by her mother and brother Domer will go to Atlantic City for a ten days' stay.

W. A. Everett has gone to Philadelphia where he will visit his brother for some time. He took with him numerous recomendations, of his ability and may locate permanently in the Quaker City.

John G. Harman, Esq., arrived home on Monday from a week's yatching expedition along the Jersey coast. Mr. Harman says there is no sport that beats yatching. There were four others in the party.

Charge for Baby Carriages.

Baggage agents of the Pennsylvania and Philadelphia and Reading Railroads in Bloomsburg have been notified that hereafter they will be required to collect for every baby carriage the price of fifty pounds of excess baggage, with a minimum charge of twenty-five cents.

Until the issue of the aforementioned order it was customary for both the Reading and Pennsylvania to haul coaches free of charge, checking them as baggage. Heavy travel has caused the baggage cars to become overcrowded and the practice to be abused. The joint order will result in the collection of excess baggage fees for every coach carried. Officials say the idea is not to make the charge a source of revenue so much as to prevent large numbers crowding the cars and hampering the employes.

W. C. T. U. Notes.

The election of officers of the W. C. T. U. will be held one week earlier than announced in the *Daily*. It will be held next Tuesday evening, August 29th, at 7:30. Meeting in rooms over Furman's store. The meeting Tuesday evening August 12th was well attended, and was very helpful.

Sheriff Sales.

Sheriff Daniel Knorr advertises the following properties.

At the Court House, on Saturday, August 30th., at two o'clock p. m. house and lot in Bloomsburg, property of James Magee 2nd.

Make Cider.

At the mills of John M. Welsh near Orangeville after Aug. 24th Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. We grind by steam power.

4t* JOHN M. WELSH.

Cholera has played havoc with swine across the river. J. R. Neyhard has lost twenty, and Lloyd Shuman five. A number of others have also suffered losses.

W. L. Douglas

$3.00, $3.50 and $4.00

SHOES

are worn by more men than any other shoe.

Call and let us fit you with a pair.

W. H. MOORE,

Cor. Main and Iron Sts.

BLOOMSBURG, PA

Cleaning House.

It's not the ordinary time for house cleaning, but the time is at hand for our cleaning up all Summer Goods at REDUCED PRICES as we do not wish to carry them to another season. Then this house cleaning of ours is money making for you, because lots of goods are priced very low to clean them out. Don't you think you had better come to this house cleaning. There is no work for you to do. We do the work and stand the loss on all broken lots and prices.

Dress Goods

50c. Silk Ginghams	25c. yd.
50c. Grenadines	38c. yd.
35c. Tolo Silks	15c. yd,
25c. Mercerized	20c. yd.
18c. Dimities	11½c. yd.

Millinery

This house cleaning in this department is a big saving to you who have a Hat, Flower or Trimmed Hat need.

Straw shapes, a lot at 25 cents.
Straw shapes, a lot at 50 cents.
Trimmed hats 1.00 each. Worth three and four times the price.
$5.00 trimmed hats 2.00.
$2.75 outing hats 1.25.

Mens' Shirts

The balance of our Men's Negligee shirts to go at 39 cts., each. Sizes 14 to 16.
ONE PRICE—CASH.

Shirt Waists

Away down go the price in this house cleaning sale. Choice new styles. Come and see them

Womens' Undermuslins

Some of the best values you have seen in a long time.
See the 25c. drawers.
See the 75c. night dress.
See the 50c. corset cover.
See the $1.50 white skirt.

Lace Curtains

In cleaning house we find several lots of these we will close out cheaply.

Parasols

Cleaning them up—down go the prices. Come and see the offerings.

Laces

A lot of Black Serpentine insertion fall in the cleaning house lot at reduced prices.

H. J. CLARK & SON.

SHOES OF ALL KINDS,

except inferior shoes, can be found here. We offer honest material. whether it be calf or kid, and made up in an honest manner, into stylish and durable footwear, for men, women and children.

Any and every new shape or style that is worthy of consideration will be found in our stock. Our ladies' shoes, at $2.00, have had a remarkable sale. Their merits have won friends everywhere. Another good shoe is Colonial Dame, at $2.50.

F. D. DENTLER.

TALK NO. 31.

There is a Little Real Trouble

in this world, most of it is imaginary. We allow ourselves to become nervous and fretful. Weeds of care overrun the garden of the heart when they should never be allowed to take root.

A Great Deal of the Present Eye Trouble is caused by people selecting Glasses unsuited for the condition of their eyes. We supply the best and give you a thorough examination free of charge and guarantee satisfaction.

Geo. W. Hess,

OPTICIAN AND JEWELER, BLOOMSBURG, PENN'A.

CHANGED CONDITIONS

REQUIRE NEW METHODS.

The Hour Glass of our Great Grand-fathers did very well in those days, but times have changed. The successful men of today reckon time as money, a missed train or broken engagement means something lost.

A GOOD TIME KEEPER

Is an element in character building. A Watch that is always on time inspires promptness and teaches self reliance

J. Lee Martin, OPTICIAN AND JEWELER. TELEPHONE 1842.

Notes.

Four different forms of notes have just been printed at this office. They are, a common promissory note, promissory with waivers, judgment, and judgment with waivers. Neatly bound in books of twenty-five, 10 cents. tf.

Deeds.

A new lot of deeds have just been printed at this office, conforming to the Act of 1901. They are as good as the best, and cheaper than some. Price, 6 cents each, or 5 for 25 cents. Orders filled by mail on receipt of cash. tf.

FIGHT AT BARCELONA

Terrible Battle Day and Night In Venezuelan City.

REVOLUTIONISTS SACK THE CITY.

Foreign Stores and the American, Italian and Dutch Consulates Pillaged—United States Cruiser Ordered to the Scene.

PORT OF SPAIN, Trinidad, Aug. 13.—Details of fighting at Barcelona, Venezuela, received here by boat show that a terrible battle started on Sunday, Aug. 3, and that on the following Wednesday the revolutionists entered the city. They kept up a continuous firing day and night, destroying houses one by one to reach the center of the city. At midnight on Thursday two-thirds of the city was in the power of the revolutionists.

On Friday the government strongholds were carried, and the last survivors of the government officers tried to escape by the river to the sea; but, failing in this, they made one last stand, after which, at noon on Friday, they surrendered to the revolutionist commanders, Generals Francisco, Monagas and Platero.

Among those taken prisoner are Martin Marcano, president of the state of Barcelona and commander of the government troops; eight generals and twenty-three colonels. The dead on both sides numbered 167. All houses in the city were sacked, and in some instances inoffensive women and children were maltreated and killed. All stores were pillaged, especially those belonging to foreigners, and the French cable office was robbed. The American, Italian and Dutch consulates were pillaged, and the consuls have asked for men-of-war to protect life and property.

United States Minister Bowen, at Caracas, has cabled the United States cruiser Cincinnati to go to Barcelona without delay and to take provisions. The Topeka is anchored at Puerto Cabello, the Marietta is on the Orinoco, the German warship Falke is at Curacao, and the Italian cruiser Giovanni Bausan and the British cruiser Pallas are at La Guayra.

SLAUGHTER OF THE TEACHERS.

Four Ambushed Near Cebu—Inquiry Reveals Tragedy.

MANILA, Aug. 13.—An investigation made by the constabulary to clear up the facts in the killing of a Cebu coaching party of four schoolteachers shows that the party was ambushed twelve miles from Cebu. Two teachers were shot and killed at the first volley, a third, who ran, was shot in the back, and a fourth, who was captured, was shot in the chest while he was praying for mercy.

It is suspected that the fourth man was buried alive, as his wound was slight and probably would not have caused death. Dogs dug up two bodies and devoured the flesh. It is believed that sufficient evidence has been secured to convict all the participants in the crime.

The bodies of these teachers were found on July 24, after the teachers had been missing since June 10. The police killed the leader of the band of murderers and captured eight other alleged participants in the crime. One man escaped.

Major General Chaffee has gone on the transport Ingalls for a trip to the southern islands. He will be absent twenty days.

Pig Iron and Steel Production.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Aug. 13.—James M. Clark, chief of the bureau of industrial statistics, will devote a considerable portion of his forthcoming annual report for 1901 to pig iron and steel statistics. During the year Pennsylvania produced 7,364,295 gross tons of pig iron. The capital invested to bring about this production was $152,075,575, and the average realized value per ton was $14.52. Allegheny county leads in the production of pig iron with 3,685,-65 tons. Of the steel products the following was the production: Bessemer, 3,319,144 gross tons; open hearth, 3,554,828 tons; crucible and other processes, 85,748 tons, making a total production of steel in the state of 7,959,-20 tons. Allegheny county leads in steel production with 5,140,580 tons. Over 80 per cent of the production came from counties west of the Allegheny mountains.

Robbers Got Rich Haul.

TUCSON, Ariz., Aug. 13.—El Correo de Senora brings an account of a daring holdup of a stage near Mazatlan, Mexico, by three masked men, supposed to have been outlaws. The robbers secured $4,000 and made good their escape with the plunder. Mariano Cordillo, the driver, attempted to whip up the horses and was shot dead. The stage was full, but the passengers were unmolested. A shipment of $4,000 to a bank at Mazatlan was the booty the robbers were after, and when they secured this they allowed the stage to proceed.

Millions of Sheep Die.

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 13.—Advices received by the steamship Miowera from Australia tell of terrible drought in New South Wales and Queensland, which has devastated the sheep ranches. Millions of sheep have died, and men formerly considered wealthy have been compelled to seek employment. Samuel McCaughey, the sheep king of Australia, lost more than 1,000,000 sheep of his herd of 1,250,000, and other large herders have been equally unfortunate.

Fifteen Reported Killed.

PUEBLO, Colo., Aug. 8.—An explosion in a coal mine near Trinidad is reported. Fifteen men are said to have been killed.

A SENATOR DEAD.

McMillan of Michigan Obeys Sudden Summons.

MANCHESTER, Mass., Aug. 11.—United States Senator James McMillan of Michigan, who had for a number of years spent the summer at Manchester, is dead of a sudden attack of acute pneumonia.

The senator retired Saturday night, having played golf all the afternoon and been in his customary good spirits during the evening. He had a slight attack in the afternoon. He awoke about midnight in great pain and called Mrs. McMillan. Dr Washburn was hurriedly called to the house and diagnosed the senator's illness as acute congestion of the lungs.

The end came without the slightest warning. Only Mrs. McMillan, her daughter, Dr. Washburn and Secretary Rice were in the chamber when he passed away.

Senator McMillan was in his usual good health up until Saturday afternoon. For several years, however, he had suffered from a heart affection, principally a weakness brought on by overwork, and had guarded himself against it, but the extra responsibilities in the senate thrown upon him last winter, together with the shock of losing a brother, son and grandson within a year, are believed to have aggravated his trouble.

The funeral services will take place from the senator's late home in Detroit, and the interment will be in the family lot in that city.

Senator McMillan was a native of Ontario, having been born in Hamilton May 12, 1838, but in early life removed to Michigan and for many years had been prominently identified with the business interests and political life of that state, having for a number of terms been chairman of the Republican state committee. He had been a member of the United States senate since March 4, 1889. He was chairman of the committee of the District of Columbia in that body and was also a member of the committees on appropriations, commerce, naval affairs, relations with Cuba, coast and insular survey and corporations organized in the District of Columbia.

JUDGE GRAY'S SUCCESSOR.

President Names Oliver Wendell Holmes For Supreme Court Bench.

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Aug. 12.—President Roosevelt late yesterday afternoon announced that he had appointed Hon. Oliver Wendell Holmes, chief justice of the supreme court of Massachusetts, to be an associate justice of the United States supreme court vice Mr. Justice Gray, resigned.

The resignation of Justice Gray was due to ill health. Several months ago he suffered a stroke of apoplexy, which some time later was followed by another. He has not appeared on the bench since he was stricken the first time. His advanced age—seventy-four years—told against his recovery with serious force. Realizing that he probably never would be able again to assume the place which he so long had filled with distinguished ability and honor, he decided a short time ago to tender his resignation to the president. With the exception of Mr. Justice Harlan he served on the bench of the United States supreme court longer than any of his present colleagues. He was appointed an associate justice by President Arthur on Dec. 19, 1881, his service extending, therefore, through a period of nearly twenty-one years.

Judge Holmes, whom the president has selected as Mr. Justice Gray's successor, is one of the most distinguished lawyers and jurists of Massachusetts. His career on the bench, particularly as chief justice of the Massachusetts supreme court, has attracted wide attention. Like Justice Gray, he is a native of Massachusetts.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Closing Stock Quotations.

Money on call firm at 3¾@4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4½@5 per cent. Sterling exchange easier, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87¾@4.88 for demand and at $4.85 3-8@4.86½ for 60 day bills. Posted rates, $4.86 and $4.88½. Commercial bills, $4.84¼@4.85¼. Bar silver, 52¾c. Mexican dollars, 41¼c. Government bonds steady. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds easier. Closing prices:

Atchison	102⅜	Ontario & West.	33¾
C.,C.,C.& St. L.	105	Pacific Mail	40
Ches. & Ohio	54¾	People's Gas	103⅞
Del. & Hudson	178	Reading	66⅝
Erie	38⅞	Rock Island	183½
Gen. Electric	185	St. Paul	184⅞
Lead	24¼	Sugar Refinery	131⅝
Louis. & Nash.	149	Texas Pacific	49⅝
Manhattan Con.	134	Union Pacific	107⅛
Missouri Pac.	117	Wabash pref.	46
N. Y. Central	163⅛	West. Union	91⅝

New York Markets.

FLOUR—More active and steadier; Minnesota patents, $3.80@3.95; winter straights, $3.40@3.70; winter extras, $3.10@3.35; winter patents, $3.70@4.

WHEAT—Firm and higher on covering due to bullish impressions of crop report, foreign buying and higher cables; September, 72 9-16@72¾c.; December, 72 1-16@72¼c.

RYE—Quiet; state, 62@63c., c. i. f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 64c., f. o. b., afloat.

CORN—Likewise advanced, being affected by the wheat upturn, active covering and cool weather news; December, 45@46c.; May, 43¾@44c.

OATS—Ruled quiet, but generally higher with corn; track, white, state, nominal; track, white, western, nominal.

PORK—Easy; mess, $17.25@18.75; family, $20@20.50.

LARD—Firm; prime western steam, 10.82c.

BUTTER—Firm; state dairy, 17@20c.; creamery, 17½@20¼c.

EGGS—Quiet; state and Pennsylvania, 20½@21c.; western, candled, 18@20c.

SUGAR—Raw firm; fair refining, 27/8c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 13-32c.; refined steady; crushed, 5.15c.; powdered, 4.75c.

TALLOW—Dull; city 6⅝c.; country, 6½@6⅝c.

HAY—Firm; shipping, 65@75c.; good to choice, $1@1.05.

Live Stock Market.

CATTLE—Market steady; choice, $7.50@7.80; prime, $7@7.25; good, $6.50@6.75; veal calves, $7@8.

HOGS—Market lower; prime heavies, $7.40@7.45; mediums, $7.45; heavy Yorkers, light Yorkers and pigs, $7.40@7.45; roughs, $6@6.75.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market slow; best wethers, $4.40@4.60; culls and common, $1.50@2; choice lambs, $5.50@5.75.

PUBLIC OPINION

Opinions From Various Sources On Political Questions of the Day.

Every time Mr. Sibley forgets his Republicanism he manages to say a lot of patriotic things — The Commoner.

There is no reason to question Chairman Donnelly's declaration that "Ex-Governor Pattison and the Democratic city committee are working in perfect harmony and in mutual trust and sincerity." Certainly this ought to be true, and we have a right to assume that it is true, notwithstanding apparently interested efforts to create a different impression. — Philadelphia Times.

The Pennsylvania state building at the Charleston Exposition, which cost $11,325 to build, has been sold at auction for $135. It was a characteristic machine job when built, and its sale was of the same character. It is impossible to secure honest dealing as concerns the state in anything the people at Harrisburg of the Stone administration put their hands. The track of dishonesty and theft trails after them from the cradle to the grave.—Pittsburg Post.

Mr. Guthrie has done more than any man in the state to promote ballot reform. He has labored with equal assiduity and success for municipal reform and governmental improvements of every kind. As lieutenant governor he will be a part, and an important part, of the legislative branch of the government, and his presence there will be an inspiration to effort and a basis of hope for all citizens of the commonwealth who desire honest elections and just returns. — Harrisburg Star-Independent.

The record of the present administration at Harrisburg has convinced thinking men that partisan success does not always insure the best results in office, and that a proper regard for the operation of the organic law of the state and the rights of the people are more desirable in an executive than his devotion to any particular brand of machine politics. The nomination of Mr. Pattison as the Democratic candidate for governor will invest the state campaign with a degree of interest that it would not otherwise possess — Scranton Truth (Ind. Rep.).

The nomination of Quay's candidate for governor means, if it means anything, that ballot-box stuffing is to be perpetrated in Philadelphia. The practices of Salter are to be continued and perfected. It has been made possible in the past by an acquiescent bench, and the judicial courtesy will be invoked this year to help Pennypacker. If the judges had been faithful to their obligations and just to the community the practice would have been broken up long ago. But they have encouraged ballot-box stuffing by making it as difficult as possible to convict the perpetrators of the crime. — Bellefonte Watchman.

When Judge Pennypacker, away back in November, wrote his panegyric of Senator Quay in which he estimated that gentleman as a greater statesman than Daniel Webster and the possessor of gifts equal to those of Shakespeare, he thought he was simply paying the profligate tribute of a blind infatuation to a kinsman who had been kind. It marked him a fool, for besides showing an indifference to political infirmity it revealed an indifference to political immorality which was disgraceful to the bench. But it may be assumed that he neither expected nor desired other reward than a sign of appreciation. Such an infatuation is equally satisfied with a kiss or a kick.—Harrisburg Star-Independent.

Judging from its severity, those outside of Pennsylvania would say of the Democratic platform: "Here is partisan recklessness." It is nothing of the kind. It is the plain, unvarnished truth, stated without exaggeration. There is not an assertion in it but is sustained by Republican authority. The Democrats did not exaggerate, simply because the facts in the case defy exaggreation. The politics of Pennsylvania is the plague spot of the nation, and it has debauched the state government to a degree that it is impossible to overstate. This is all confessed by Republicans of the highest possible character, and who have occupied the highest place in Republican councils.—Boston Herald (Ind.).

The denunciation of the majority of the state supreme court for its decision in the "ripper" cases by Alexander Simpson, Jr., the retiring president of the State Bar Association, at the meeting of that body at Cambridge Springs yesterday, will probably impress the minds of thinking people more than all the stump oratory on the subject that can be perpetrated during the present political canvass. Mr. Simpson, by the way, is a Republican. His criticism of the majority of the supreme court, therefore, cannot be charged up to political partisanship. In the course of his remarks Mr. Simpson quotes section 7 of article 3 of the state constitution which forbids the enactment of "any local or special laws regulating the affairs of counties, cities, townships, wards, boroughs or school districts * * * or changing their charters, creating offices or prescribing the powers and duties of officers in counties, cities, boroughs, etc. Mr. Simpson comments on this constitutional provision as follows: "It is safe to say, from the debates in the convention and from the history of the times, that outside of the supreme court chambers nearly everyone supposed that the clauses quoted destroyed the power to legislate for localities." To the lay mind at least it seems that Mr. Simpson has the correct view of the matter.—Harrisburg Star-Independent.

A WOMAN'S RISK

As a trapeze performer is greater than a man's. She must have a man's courage and a man's muscle to succeed, ♀ But she must also work under conditions of which a man knows nothing. Many an accident to women acrobats must be attributed to the sudden weakness to which all women are subject at certain times.

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Pennsylvania Railroad low rate ten-day excursions for the present season from North Bend, Troy, Bellefonte, Williamsport, Mocanaqua, Sunbury, Shenandoah, Dauphin, and principal intermediate stations (including stations on branch roads), to Atlantic City, Cape May, Ocean City, Sea Isle City, Avalon, Anglesea, Wildwood, or Holly Beach, will be run on Thursdays, July 31, August 14 and 28.

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Reduced Rates to Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account National Fraternal Congress.

On account of the National Fraternal Congress, to be held at Denver, Col., August 26 to 30, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Denver, Colorado Springs, or Pueblo, Col., from all stations on its lines, at rate of single fare for the round trip. Tickets will be sold and good going on August 22 and 23, and will be good to return until September 30, inclusive. Tickets must be validated for return passage by Joint Agent at any of the above-mentioned points, for which service a fee of 25 cents will be charged. For specific rates and conditions, apply to ticket agents. 14-2t

Reduced Rates to Ashville.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account Meeting of Society of American Florists and Ornamental Horticulturists.

On account of the meeting of Society of American Florists and Ornamental Horticulturists, to be held at Asheville, N. C., August 19 to 22, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Asheville on August 17 to 19, from all stations on its lines, at reduced rates. Tickets will be good to return until August 25, inclusive. 1t

Reduced Rates to Wilkesbarre via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account A. O. H. Parade and Meeting.

For the accommodation of those desiring to witness the parade of the Ancient Order of Hibernians and Ladies' Auxiliary, at Wilkesbarre, Pa., August 21, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Wilkesbarre and return, on that date, good to return until August 22, inclusive, from Tomhicken, South Danville, and intermediate stations, at single fare for the round trip. 14-2t

For the annual picnic of the P. O. S. of A. at Nay Aug Park, Scranton, the Lackawanna Railroad will run a special train leaving Bloomsburg at 7.30 a. m. Saturday August 16. Returning the train will leave Scranton at 6.30 p. m. Fare for the round trip, adults $1.25, children 65 cents.

CURRENT COMMENT

Comment on Matters Political and Otherwise of Public Interest.

ANDREW J. PALM.

If Pennsylvania has no evils worthy of mention, Pennypacker, of course, is not in favor of ballot reform, because it wouldn't be worth while to bother himself about reforming anything that is not bad enough to attract attention. Neither does he evidently consider bribery, perjury and ballot box stuffing evils worthy of notice. Pennypacker, in the language of the street, must be a daisy.

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Judge Potter telephoned Governor Stone that he had a h—l of a time to get a favorable decision from his fellows of the Supreme Court on the ripper bills. No doubt the members of the court after seeing the humiliating light in which they have been placed by Alexander Simpson, Jr., of the Philadelphia bar, will wish that they had allowed Potter to have his h—l of a time with the governor rather than with the court. Any one who can read the English language can readily understand on reading Mr. Simpson's address before the Pennsylvania Bar Association why he received the hearty applause of the members who listened attentively to every word of the able address. A political court well deserves the contempt which it is certain to receive sooner or later.

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One of Quay's objections to Elkin as a candidate for governor was that Penrose would be in danger of defeat for the senate should Elkin head the ticket. The fact is that Mr. Penrose's case never looked worse than it does at the outset of Pennypacker's campaign. Quay failed of election at the session of '99 and would have failed at the last except for the most unblushing bribery. Quay had all the united support of the stalwart element, something that Penrose is not at all likely to receive. With the Democrats, Independent Republicans and some of the regulars against him, it looks as if Penrose might as well declare himself out of the race. It would be hard to find a candidate who would not represent the state with more credit, so there need be no worry over the matter.

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When Judge Pennypacker declares that Pennsylvania has no evils worthy of mention he gives the lie direct to the North American, Ledger, Press and the many other independent papers of the state, as well as to many stalwart papers outside of the state that declare Pennsylvania to be the worst ring-ridden commonwealth of the union. The Philadelphia Press has for years been waging a bitter war against the evils of Quayism, but now it turns about face and says that because Pennypacker is an honest man it will support him. The Press well knows that Pennypacker is Quay's man and that, if elected, he will absolutely follow Quay's orders. Why shouldn't he, when he declares that Quay is one of the greatest men of the age? The course of the Press may be consistent enough for Philadelphia politics, but it is sadly inconsistent with the dictates of honesty and courage.

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"God pity the man who sells his vote in this fight," exclaimed State Treasurer Harris the day before the late Republican convention. According to the Philadelphia Inquirer, Mr. Elkin, Senator Focht and many others forty-one of the delegates would be entitled to the divine pity invoked by Mr. Harris. Mr. Harris expressed the opinion at the same time that a purchased nomination would create such a sentiment through the state that it would be utterly impossible to elect the candidate who secured the dishonest nomination. Mr. Harris ought to be authority on the matter of bribery, for being a prominent member of the last house he is supposed to be more or less familiar with the number of men who sold themselves on the various measures, how much they were paid, etc. He didn't, however, then seem to think it so serious a matter, but rather considered it a good thing for the party. Where would Speaker Marshall have been or Boss Quay had it not been for the men who sold themselves the last session. What reason has Mr. Harris for thinking the people will resent all this devilment at the polls? Is he doing all he can to avenge the bribery of the forty-one votes which defeated his candidate for the governorship?

The most effective Democratic argument in favor of Pattison's election is Pennypacker's fulsome praise of Senator Quay.—Williamsport Sun.

The nomination of ex-Governor Robert E. Pattison for governor by the Democratic State Convention is probably the strongest that could have been made by the minority party, and is certainly a unique honor in the political history of the state. As a man and an official, Mr. Pattison has enjoyed the confidence and esteem of the people whom he has served in a public capacity, and he will, therefore, bring to his canvass a strength which no other candidate in his party ranks could expect.—Lancaster New Era (Rep.).

A preamble of self-gratulation denying any credit to the Almighty for whatever of prosperity is supposed to exist, followed by a mass of words as meaningless as the chattering of daws, constitutes the platform adopted by the Republican convention. A sop is tossed to veteran soldiers and sailors, the same sop which has been thrown at them for years as though the Republican party paid the pensions, and at the same time admission is made of the abuses and atrocities in the Philippines which the national administration tried so hard to conceal. — New Haven Democrat.

LIST OF JURORS FOR SEPTEMBER COURT.

GRAND JURORS.

Benton—W. Scott Laubach, farmer.
Bloom—Robert McBride, painter; Robert Runyon, clerk.
Briarcreek—Stewart A. Ash, distiller.
Catawissa Twp.—S. B. Martin, farmer.
Catawissa B.—Chas. B. Hamlin, eng.; Frank Frey, laborer.
Centralia—H. J. Heffner, miner; William Harris, laborer; Edward Cuff, miner.
Centre—George Whitmeyer, farmer.
Fishingcreek—Jacob Geisinger, farmer.
Franklin—Newton Yetter, teacher.
Greenwood—Peter Miller, farmer.
Locust—George W. Bittner, farmer.
Main—Joseph Hartzell, farmer; Charles John, farmer.
Montour—Peter S. Kashner, farmer.
Mt. Pleasant—Alfred Crawford, farmer; Bradley Ruckle, carpenter; George G. Evert, farmer.
Orange—W. H. Neyhart, farmer.
Roaringcreek—W. H. Beaver, farmer.
Scott—Silas Young, merchant.

TRAVERSE JURORS—FIRST WEEK.

Beaver—Nathan Rice, farmer.
Benton Twp.—Barton Kierhoff, farmer; Henry Blane, farmer; I. K. K. Laubach, farmer.
Berwick—Clemuel W. Nugent, grocer; Joseph Bitler, gent; L. S. Jacoby, agent.
Bloom—Charles Taylor, moulder; Joseph Townsend, clerk; Harry W. Sloan, clerk; B. F. Sharpless, gent; Elijah Creveling, gent; John Farver, watchman; Harry Housel, merchant.
Briarcreek—Gideon Michael, farmer.
Centre—Wilson J. Miller, farmer.
Cleveland—Amandus Billig, farmer.
Fishingcreek—J. P. Creasy, farmer; Lewis Beishline, farmer.
Greenwood—Bruce Dildine, merchant; Bigler Eyer, sawyer.
Jackson—A. B. Mendenhall, farmer.
Locust—J. C. Kester, farmer; J. W. Snyder, merchant.
Madison—Thomas Mordan, armer.
Main—John W. Shuman, farmer.
Mifflin—Hervey H. Boyd, farmer; Geo. B. Keller, farmer.
Mt. Pleasant—Isaiah Howell, farmer; Lewis Christopher, farmer.
Orange—R. W. Brumstetter, laborer.
Pine—W. H. Hayman, farmer; A. R. Johnson, farmer; Mason C. Johnson, laborer.
Scott—K. S. Creasy, huckster; Austin Ohl, farmer.

TRAVERSE JURORS—SECOND WEEK.

Beaver—Philip Rabuck, farmer.
Benton Boro.—W. P. Robbins, mason.
Benton Twp.—Foster Mausteller, farmer.
Berwick—J. C. Furman, blacksmith; Isiah Bower, gentleman; Clark Bower, foreman.
Bloom—Jacob Shaffer, pattern maker; George Moyer, carpenter; W. S. Capwell, photographer; Thornton G. Freeze, laborer.
Briarcreek—W. A. Lemon, farmer.
Catawissa Twp.—Joseph A. Creasy, farmer; G. H. Murray, farmer.
Catawissa Boro.—Henry Pfahler, gentleman; George Keller, brakeman; M. A. Bibby, tax collector; Herman F. Young, marble cutter.
Centralia—Thomas Boran, grocer.
Cleveland—F. P. Dimmich, farmer.
Conyngham—Patrick Coyle, laborer.
Fishingcreek—James Amerman, merchant; Monroe Markle, farmer.
Greenwood—George Derr, farmer; Willets M. Dermott, farmer.
Jackson—Frank Derr, farmer; Daniel W. Hartman, farmer.
Locust—E. C. Yeager, merchant.
Madison—Frank Hendershott, farmer; Judson Axe, farmer.
Mifflin—John W. Creasy, merchant.
Millville—Josiah Heacock, miller.
Orange Boro.—W. W. Kisner, laborer.
Roaringcreek—Michael Roach, farmer.
Scott—George W. Remley, farmer; Baltis White, huckster.
Sugarloaf—Gaylord McHenry, merchant.

TRIAL LIST

For September 1902.

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Mary C. Kline vs. Rebecca J. Adams admx. of Ellen Kline, dec'd.
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Thomas E. Harder vs. John A. Shuman.
F. P. Creasy vs. The N. & W. B. Railroad Co. and its successor, the N. & W. B. Rwy. Co.
Bloomsburg Land Improvement Company vs. The Town of Bloomsburg.
Mrs. John Keeler vs. James Pennington.
Nelson C. Hartman vs. Frank W. Boone.
Freas Fowler vs. American Car and Foundry Co.
Calvin Pardee & Co. vs. Theodore F. Conner.
P. M. Thornton vs. Frank Ikeler and Fred Ikeler, exrs. of E. R. Ikeler, dec'd.
Thomas Elmes vs. Margaret Mensch, Thomas Mensch, Matilda Berninger, Catharine Clayton and John D. Mensch.
Charles D. Whitneight and Sarah Whitenight, his wife vs. James M. Staver.
Lillie Atherholt and John Atherholt vs. Charles Hughes.
E. M. Tewksbury's admrs. vs. Francis Glassmyer.
E. D. Tewksbury and Martha D. Souser vs. Francis Glassmyer.
H. W. Wolf vs. W. H. Miller.
Jesse Hess vs. Ira R. Sutliff.
Nelson B. Stackhouse vs. Lyman E. Agnew and Henrietta Agnew.
Henry A. Heid vs. Fishingcreek Twp.
William B. Houck vs. John Stokes and Mrs. Lewis Miller.
Theodore F. Conner vs. J. Lloyd Dillon.
W. H. Neyhard vs. Boro. of Orangeville.
M. E. Kostenbauder vs. Rosannah Goodman.
Daniel Knorr, Shff. to use of State Cap. S. & L. Asso. vs. S. C. Creasy.
The Edward Thompson Co. vs. James Scarlet.
The Boro. of Centralia vs. George S. Fleckenstine.
Evenden Bros. vs. S. G. Bryfogle.
Nelson Stackhouse vs. L. E. Agnew.
Alfred Reigle, atty. in fact vs. Roman Smoczynski et al.

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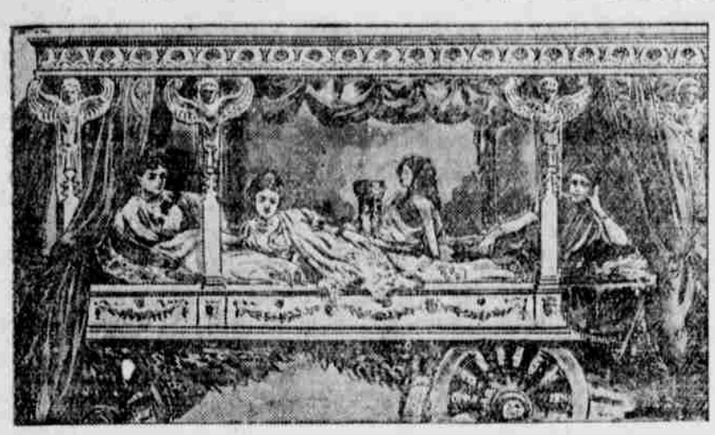
Palilian Festival at Rome

A Twentieth Century Picture of Caesarean Splendor.

THE Palilian festival, which is observed annually at Rome with imposing ceremonies, commemorates the founding of the eternal city. It derives its name from the old Latin divinity, Pales. Originally the festival was of a purely bucolic character; shepherds and cattle jumped over a straw, fire for purposes of purification, and cakes and milk were offered as a sacrifice to the goddess. Nowadays more elaborate customs prevail, the name being the only feature that has been retained. This year's festival, which was observed on the 4th of May, exceeded in sumptuousness anything that has been seen of recent years. On the heights of the Urbs quadrata was inaugurated a historical procession which took astonished sightseers from abroad back to the days of imperial Rome. The procession was led by Numidian horsemen, mounted pretorians and bodyguards on foot. They were followed by mimes, dancers and acrobats, a group of Dacians clothed in wild animal skins and the cohorts of legionaries. Gladiators in white, red and blue tunics were grouped in picturesque tableaux. A palanquin, carried by four Moorish slaves, housed Signora Mililotti, the famous Italian artist. It was followed by gay groups of patricians and their ladies in elaborate Roman and Grecian gowns with gold and jeweled trimmings, and dainty dandies, accompanied by slaves and beautiful pages. Pompous freedmen filled the space between the first



GROUP OF PATRICIAN LADIES IN PALILIAN PROCESSION.

and a second, still more elegant, palanquin in which reclined a noble matron, accompanied by a page who wielded a magnificent peacock fan. Two steers with gilded horns drew the carriage of the imperial family, which was preceded by a detachment of slaves and a troop of Gallic guardsmen. Then followed the emperor, clad in consular robes, reclining in a carriage drawn by Ethiopian slaves. Next came more pretorians and the ephebes, who were to take part in the festival games, children with wreaths and flower baskets, shepherds and peasants, and finally the young steer and sheep set apart for the sacrifice, priests and their attendants, vestals in white robes and the lictors, bearing the axe and fasces, the insignia of their office. A motley crowd brought up the rear. After marching twice around the stadium the procession approached the center, where an altar had been erected. The imperial family and the senators were then seated in a semi-circle upon curules, chairs of state, the children scattered their flowers among the patricians, and the high priest with the Vestalis Maxima approached the steps of the altar and lighted the fire, amid the applause of the gaping multitude. A chorus of 300 voices accompanied the sacrificial ceremony with the song of Horatian Carmen Saeculare, which had been set to music by Maestro Cellini especially for this occasion.

From an artistic as well as spectacular point of view the Palilian festival of 1902 was not only a perfect success, but a lesson as well. It demonstrated that nowhere outside of Italy and Greece can classic spectacles of antiquity be reproduced in a satisfactory manner. Englishmen, Germans and Americans have tried it, but always without success. They spent more money on their productions than the Romans, but gold could not supply the mercurial temperament and ancestral pride which are essential to the effective representation of historical scenes.

The War Dogs of Germany

They Are Taught to Carry Messages and Ammunition.

THE natural instincts of the dog, his docility, watchfulness, endurance and reliability, have induced the German war office to use him for military purposes. The raising and training of the so-called war dogs has been entrusted to the sharpshooter branch of the service, with a commissioned officer in charge. It is his duty to train the dogs especially for picket duty. The prime essential in the canine educational scheme is to develop the faculty of watchfulness so that the pupil will give warning of the approach of a stranger by a subdued growl, instead of a loud and dangerous bark. Next, the dog must learn to carry messages from one point to another with absolute precision. Reports entrusted to him by advance pickets he must carry to headquarters without loss of time. As soon as he has delivered the message he must return to the place from which he was dispatched. The picture shows how the canine messenger carries his papers—in a small leather bag attached to the collar.

But a truly efficient war dog has still other missions to perform. He should be able to carry ammunition to the sharpshooting detachments at the front. And after the battle he is supposed to assist in locating

SENDING OUT A WAR DOG WITH A MESSAGE.

wounded and disabled soldiers and announce eventual discoveries by short, sharp barks.

Results like these indicated can be obtained only after a prolonged course of expert training, and then only with pure-blooded animals. The breeds most in demand are poodles, pointers and Scotch collies. The latter are preferred, because with marvelous intelligence they combine a hardiness which enables them to defy climatic changes.

Germany is not the only country which employs dogs for military purposes. France has, for some time, used them in connection with the army hospital corps and the army police service. In Italy they are employed for carrying drinking water and light refreshments to detached posts. In the Alpine divisions of Austria they are taught to act as guides as well as messengers.

The officers of the United States army do not take kindly to the introduction of canine auxiliaries, but the wonderful success which has attended their enrollment in the continental armies may work a revolution and lead to the formation of a military dog-training establishment.

Lovers of dogs are not surprised at the intelligence displayed by the German war dogs. They consider their feats merely as a rational development of the wisdom of which every dog is possessed in a greater or less degree.

One Thing Short of Genius.

There are hundreds of people who would be geniuses if they didn't lack one little thing. And they could supply that one little thing if they would try right hard.—Atchison Globe.

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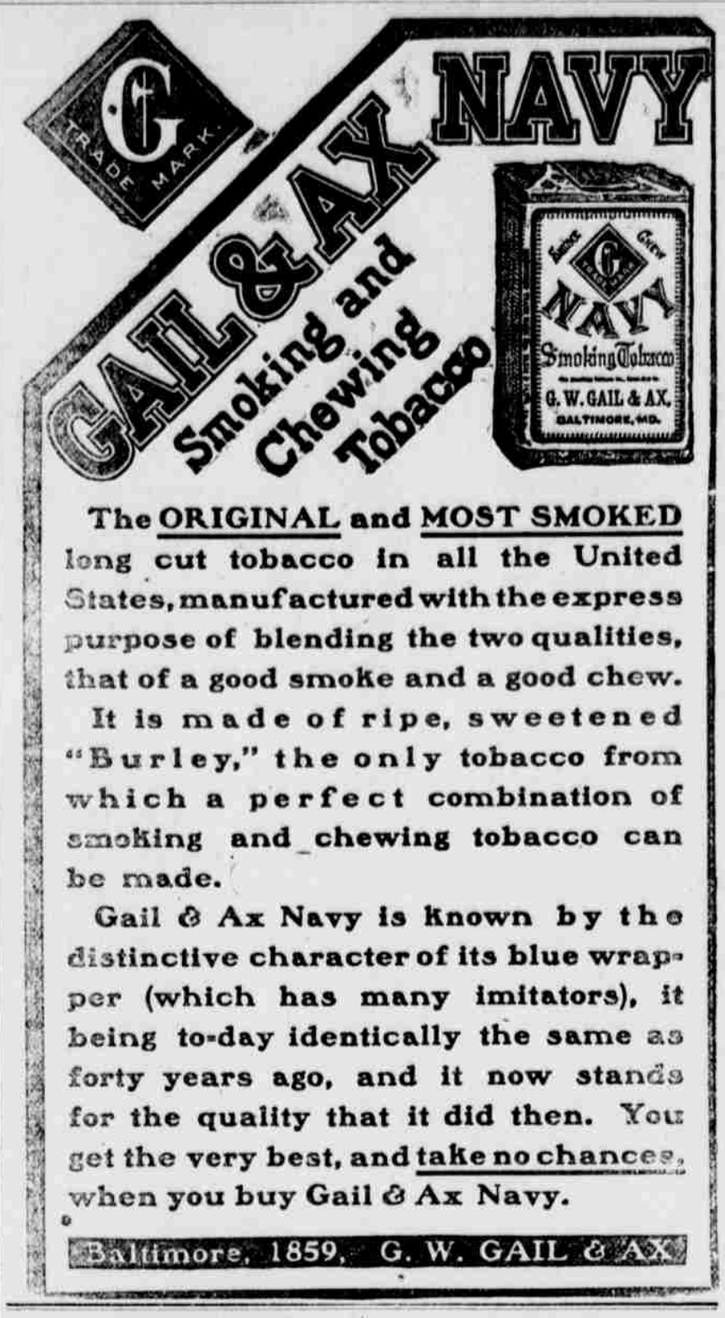
An Over-Worked Man.

We believe that we have at last located an overworked man; he got a letter from his girl at nine this morning, and didn't get a chance to read it till noon.—Atchison Globe.



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A RIOTOUS POPULATION.

The Tamaqua *Courier* just about tells the truth in the following editorial:

"Nowhere in the country, unless it be in Paterson N. J., are the baneful effects of our lax immigration laws so evident as in the city of Shenandoah. The last census showed the population of the place to be 20,321, and of this number fully two-thirds are Poles, Italians, Slavs and Lithuanians. Many of these aliens are criminals who were compelled to flee from their native land and seek a refuge in America. They are in the main illiterate and intemperate. Many of them were taught the creed of anarchy in their youth and they have no respect for the laws of this or any other country. They are the open and avowed enemies of all government.

"During the past few days certain things that have happened go to show conclusively that anarchy practically rules in Shenandoah. The native portion of the population live in almost constant fear of the foreigners. When the laws are openly violated and when murder is committed they fear to take the action that they should because they have the conviction that the foreigners will make an effort to wreck vengeance upon them. This is a condition that should not prevail in any American town or city. When the laws are violated and the lives of citizens are endangered anarchy rules. During the reign of the recent riot in Shenandoah the police authorities, the labor leaders and the better class of citizens could not hold the infuriated aliens in check. They were simply battling against a power which they hate with an intensity that is nothing less than terrible—the power of the law.

"Anarchy is gaining a foothold in America simply because we allow this country to be made a refuge for the political criminals of Europe. The anarchist comes here and finds a fertile field for the propagation of his creed. He is allowed a wider latitude than in any of the European countries. His inflammable writings make an impression upon the weak minds and in the course of time his teachings bear fruit and hundreds of half crazed creatures stand behind him ready to commit murder or to strike a blow against the government if he so decrees. If Congress were to enact legislation restricting certain classes of imigration it would be found that in the course of time cities like Shenandoah and Paterson would be purged of the undesirable class of citizens which they now possess."

Owing to a peculiarity in this year's apple crop, which from present indications, it is predicted, will be much larger than the average yield, prices of apple products will be much higher than was anticipated and cider and evaporated apples, it is said, will command prices far above the usual quotations.

WILL REOPEN TALBOT CASE.

Board of Sixteen Will Inquire Into Charges Made Against Episcopal bishop by Dr. Irvine.

Right Rev. Thomas Clark, Bishop of Rhode Island, and Presiding Bishop of the Episcopal Church, who was requested by Right Rev. Ethelbert Talbot, Bishop of Central Pennsylvania, to appoint a board of inquiry to investigate the charges made against the latter by Rev. E. H. W. Irvine, D. D., a deposed priest, has referred the matter to Bishop Dudley, of Kentucky.

Bishop Clark states that a board of inquiry consisting of sixteen members, half clergy and half lay, will be convened.

The place for holding the rehearing has not been announced. It will be either Huntingdon or Harrisburg, the former place being particularly desired by Dr. Irvine. Two of the members of the board to decide whether or not the case merits trial will be Rev. Dr. John Fulton and Rev. Dr. W. B. Bodine, of Philadelphia, who were on the board which held the first hearing at Harrisburg on July 2 and 3.

Harvesting Oats.

The farmers just now have rightly entered upon oats harvest. The wet weather came on about the right time to benefit the oats and the crop is one of the largest ever harvested in this section, the land regardless of quality yielding well. There is scarcely a country store but contains specimens of extraordinary growth brought in by farmers for the admiration of their neighbors.

To Prevent Lemons From Becoming Dry.

One who claims to know whereof he speaks says to prevent lemons from becoming dry and hard keep them under glass If you are not going to use them immediately, lay them on a flat surface and invert a goblet over each one of them, or put them in a glass jar. After several weeks imprisonment in this way, they have been taken out as fresh and juicy as ever.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., postoffice, and will be sent to the dead letter office August 26, 1902. Persons calling for these letters will please say "that they were advertised Aug. 12, 1902":

Miss Clara Long, Mr. N. C. Ohl, Ralp Taney.

One cent will be charged on each letter advertised.

J. C. BROWN, P. M.

Here is a pointer made for the benefit of any individual whom it may fit. A public officer who demands or accepts hush money from those who have offended the law, commits in most cases a graver offense than the man he is blackmailing. The practice cannot be carried on without those who engage in it getting into trouble.

Priest Scores Socialists.

The Rev. Father Hussie, of St Gabriel's Catholic Church at Hazleton in a sermon Sunday morning warned his hearers against participating in the Socialistic movement now being spread in the coal regions and denounced the same. He said the doctrines as now being disseminated are incomptiable with the teachings of the Roman Catholic Church and savored of anarchy and infidelity. A sensation has resulted from the remarks, because the Socialistic move has made big inroads in the ranks of the miners about Hazleton during the last four weeks.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Lavari Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, Pa, and to me directed there will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House in Bloomsburg, county and State aforesaid, on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 30, 1902,

at two o'clock p. m. All that certain piece or lot of ground situate in the town of Bloomsburg in the county of Columbia, and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, viz, Beginning at a point in the westwardly line of Magee Avenue, forty-two feet northwardly from the line of Sixth street; thence westwardly parallel with Sixth street seventy feet; thence southwardly parallel with Magee Avenue fourteen feet; thence eastwardly parallel with Sixth street seventy feet to Magee Avenue; and thence by Magee Avenue northwardly fourteen feet to the place of beginning, whereon is erected a

BRICK DWELLING HOUSE.

Seized, taken in execution at the suit of Mary E. Pursel vs. James Magee 2nd and to be sold as the property of James Magee 2nd.

DANIEL KNORR,
TUSTIN, Att'y. Sheriff.

WIDOW'S APPRAISMENTS.

The following Widow's Appraisements will be presented to the Orphans' Court of Columbia county on the first Monday of September, A. D. 1902, and confirmed nisi, and unless exceptions are filed within four days thereafter, will be confirmed absolute.

1. Estate of Henry H. Hirleman, late of Jackson township. Real estate $300.
2. Estate of Clark M. Kile, late of Sugarloaf township. Personalty $278 40.
3. Estate of Samuel Rhinard, late of Briarcreek township. Personalty $300.
4. Estate of Cyrus B. Hess, late of Benton township. Personalty $300.
5. Estate of Albert Witchey, late of Beaver township. Personalty $230.21.
6. Estate of A. J. Carr, late of Millville Boro. Personalty $300.
7. Estate of Samuel S. Lowrey, late of Madison township. Personalty $300.
8. Estate of Clarence F. Sitler, late of Centre township. Personalty $300.
9. Estate of Abram Lockard, late of Briarcreek township. Personalty $300.
10. Estate of F. N. Turner, late of the town of Bloomsburg. Appraisment for minor children. Personalty $199.35.

Clerk's Office, W. H. HENRIE,
Bloomsburg, Pa., August 5, 1902 Clerk O. C.

CHARTER NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania on the 25th day of August, A. D., 1902, by William F. Adams, Christian A. Small, J. K. Sharpless, I. C. Mensch, Warren S. Sharpless and Jacob W. Adams under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to Provide for the Incorporation and Regulation of Certain Corporations" approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "The Adams Cigar and Tobacco Company" the charter and object of which is for the purpose of manufacturing, selling, or otherwise disposing of cigars and tobacco, made from tobacco, or any other material known to the trade, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy, all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements. CHRISTIAN A. SMALL,
LEWIS C. MENSCH.
7-31 4t. Solicitors.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Rebecca F. Harman, late of Bloomsburg Pa., deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Rebecca F. Harman late of the town of Bloomsburg, county of Columbia Pa., deceased, have been granted to J. Lee Harman and John G. Harman, residents of said town, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

J. LEE HARMAN,
John G. HARMAN,
7-17 6t. Executors.

CHARTER NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the state of Pennsylvania, on Thursday, the fourteenth day of August, 1902, by J. L. Harman, J. G. Harman, M. Hassert and others, under the act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29th, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation, to be called "Harman & Hassert," the character and object whereof is the manufacture of Iron and Steel, or both, or of any other metal, or of any article of commerce from metal or wood, or both, and for these purposes, to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said act of Assembly and its supplements.

JOHN G. HARMAN,
7-24 4t Solicitor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Albert C. Achenbach, late of Orange Township, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Albert C. Achenbach late of Orange township, Columbia county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to Oscar Achenbach, residing in said township, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands, will make known the same without delay. OSCAR ACHENBACH,
CLINTON HERRING, Administrator.
Attorney. 8-7 6t.*

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

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ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Mrs. Ent's Building, Court House Alley,
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

A. L. FRITZ,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Office—Bloomsburg Nat'l Bank Bldg., 2d floor.
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

J. H. MAIZE,
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Office, in Lockard's Building,
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW,
BLOOMSBURG, PA.
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A. N. YOST,
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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.
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RALPH R. JOHN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
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Bloomsburg, Pa.

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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W. H. RHAWN,
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CLINTON HERRING,
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Office with Grant Herring.
BLOOMSBURG, PA.
Will be in Orangeville Wednesday of each week.

WILLIAM C. JOHNSTON,
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Office in Wells' Building over B. A. Gidding's Clothing Store, Bloomsburg, Pa
Will be in Millville on Tuesdays.

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Legal advertisements on page 7.

These are good nights to sleep.

The Reformed church is being painted.

The Greenwood Seminary opens Monday, Sept. 1st.

The Millville *Tablet* reports frost at that place yesterday morning.

Dr. G. H. Welliver received a car load of western horses on Saturday.

Perfection is attained in washing and ironing at J. E. Fidler's Gem Steam Laundry.

Labor Day programs on an elaborate scale are being prepared in many Pennsylvania towns.

Proprietor of the Gem Steam Laundry is distributing a very attractive advertising novelty among his patrons.

You will be pleased with the work, and they will be pleased to serve you at the Gem Steam Laundry.

The East End Water Company of Scott township Columbia county, capitalized at $1.000 was granted a charter by the State Department on Monday.

George Hughes lost a valuable horse by death Monday morning. The animal was a large beautiful bay and had recently shown considerable speed.

Col. John G. Freeze is improving his residence corner of Third and Center Streets. He will paint the entire exterior.

You can enjoy a pleasant day's outing and at the same time help the centennial fund by joining the P. O. S. of A. picnic to Nay Aug Park on Saturday.

"Bloomsburg Locomobile Club" is a nicely painted sign that adorns the one story frame building on Market Square. The work was done by P. K. Vannatta.

Paul E. Wirt's name is among the list of Pennsylvania inventors reported by C. A. Snow & Co. this week. He has been granted another patent on a fountain pen.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tittle of East Street, are mourning the loss of their four year old daughter, whose death occurred from an attack of summer complaint, on Monday.

The ladies of the A. M. E. church will serve meals at all hours in the lecture room of the church on First street during the centennial at the small sum of 20 cents.

Miss Carrie Gertrude Hill, aged twenty-one years, a student of the Bloomsburg Normal School, died of typhoid fever at the home of her parents in Beach Haven last week.

The support that a man receives from his friends in proportion as his riches increase, is a good deal like the ice dealers lump of ice that becomes substantial as we need it less.

A representative of I. Rambo & Son, decorators, of Reading is in town for the purpose of erecting the Royal Arcanum and Knights of the Golden Eagle arch for the Centennial.

A festival will be given on the church lawn of the M. E. church at Espy on Saturday evening. The Berwick band will be present and give an open air concert. Everybody invited.

The Good Will Co's. hose house at the corner of Main and West street is being improved with new weather boarding and new doors. The interior appearance will also be looked after.

The Millville Borough Council has decided that the Bloomsburg & Millville Electric Railway Company must lay the girder or flat rail through the streets of that town.

One of our rural subscribers called in the office on Monday for last week's issue. She said the paper for some reason or other had missed and the whole family was lost without it. Concluding she said "We like the COLUMBIAN because it gives us all the happenings and its news is always reliable.

The old fashioned way of earning it, is the best money making scheme that we know of.

Some girls marry for money, and then make the divorce court their collecting agency.

The Columbia county Medical Society will meet at Berwick on Tuesday next.

The Pennsylvania Paper Mill at Catawissa has shut down owing to the inability of the proprietors to procure coal.

We guarantee our work to be as faultless as human skill and modern machinery can make it. Gem Steam Laundry. J. E. Fidler, Prop.

It is a hard matter for a man to love his neighbor as himself, if he has a garden and his neighbor has chickens.

Nathan Noos, of Berwick is doing time in jail. He was incarcerated Tuesday evening on a charge of desertion and non support.

Wm. Chrisman Esq. was in pain on Monday, the result of a bee sting. One of the insects inflicted a wound on his forehead and the upper part of his face was swollen.

A special train over the B. & S. railroad conveyed quite a number to the festival at Orangeville, Saturday evening. All report a big crowd and a good time.

The price of domestic sizes of anthracite coal was advanced in New York City yesterday from $8 to $9 a ton. The sizes affected are stove, egg, nut and broken coal.

Centralia was visited by a destructive fire Monday night causing a loss that is estimated at $12,000. Five dwelling houses were burned and some other buildings were damaged.

The Catawissa branch of the P. & R. Railway is rushed with freight traffic and the crews have scarcely time to rest, many of them are making double time. The volume of freight consists principally of soft coal.

There was a large supply of blackberries in market Tuesday morning, and they were rapidly bought up. The vegetables were nice and fresh looking. Sweet corn is a leader now and nearly every wagon in market had a load of it.

An Ice Cream Social will be held at the home of Mr. Clarence Yost, Van Camp, on Tuesday evening, August 19. Proceeds to aid in rebuilding the Girl's School in Sendai, Japan, which was destroyed by fire March 8, 1902. All are cordially invited to be present and help the good work along.

Herbert Shutt went to the Williamsport Hospital on Monday to see what can be done for his hand which has given him great pain of late. Last winter he bruised it with a crow bar and it never healed. He has received treatment from local physicians but they have been unable to help him.

Enoch Cook, father of W. H. Cook of Bloomsburg died at his home in Danville on Tuesday, aged 70 years. He emigrated from England fifty years ago and for a short time lived in this town. For the last forty years he has resided at Danville.

The idle coal miners are making it decidedly unpleasant for the residents of Catawissa valley by stealing their farm products. The farmers are protesting vigorously against the annoyance, and unless the miners desist they will appeal to Sheriff Knerr for protection.

While discussing the appearance of the different county papers the other day an employee of one of our comtemporaries said "I like the style of the COLUMBIAN better than any of the others." The mark of extraordinary merit is to see those most envious of it constrained to praise.

A fire which rendered Nehemiah Cole homeless occurred in Benton on Monday. He succeeded in saving his household goods. The property was owned by Mrs. Mary Lemons. Other buildings in close proximity were on fire several times but good work on the part of the firemen of the town saved them.

The government is issuing pamphlets dealing with the question of good roads and how to build dirt roads in all their varied features. These pamphlets are intended for farmers and can be had upon application to the United States Department of Agriculture, Division of publication. Every man interested in good roads should send for them.

Will Morris has resigned his position at Ed Row's barber shop and entered the employ of the Magee Carpet Co. Will is taking a course in mechanical drawing through the Scranton Correspondence Schools, and the night work in connection with the barber business did not allow him sufficient time to pursue his studies.

Oak Grove, as a picnic place has been almost forgotten this summer, and the once beautiful park retains little of its former attractiveness. Two years ago it might have been put in good condition with a small outlay of money, but since that time its decline has been rapid. To revive its old prestige now would mean the expenditure of a good deal of money.

Have you tried the Gem Steam Laundry yet? Work called for and delivered, to all parts of town. J. E. Fidler, Prop.

An item of particular interest to railway mail clerks has been incorporated in the postal appropriation bill by the senate post office committee. It authorizes the payment of $1,000 to the families of railway clerks who are killed in the line of duty. Provision is made for the payment of the sum immediately after such casualties occur.

Secretary John Hamilton, of the state department of agriculture, is authority for the statement that roads can best be repaired during a heavy shower. A man with a rubber coat and a shovel can do more in an hour while rain is falling, than on the whole of a dry day. Water courses can be turned and new outlets made with ease on rainy days.

Many of the farmers throughout Centre county are ridding their barns of rotten hay. Haying was begun early by many, at a time when grass was in full vigor and contained its greatest amount of sap. Showery weather interfered with properly curing the crop, which stored in that condition generated too great a heat, moulded and finally rotted. By next spring many will find their hay unfit feed for stock.

The Public *Ledger* and the *Times* of Philadelphia have been consolidated. The first issue under the new regime appeared on Tuesday. They were both good papers before the union and this massing of interests and knowledge should make the *Public Ledger and Times*, its new name, even better than either one of its predecessors if that be possible. The daily paper will be sold for one cent and the Sunday for two cents.

Howard Clark, a member of the engineer corps that is at present making a survey for the Susquehanna, Bloomsburg and Berwick Railroad was painfully injured near Millville on Monday. He with some others was engaged hewing the underbrush when a cutter in the hands of a fellow workman penetrated his right instep. The cut was dressed by Dr. Christian. Later he was brought to Bloomsburg and sent from here to his home in Danville.

The ladies of the Civic Club of Bloomsburg will conduct free rest rooms on north Market street above the Square during the centennial Aug. 28 and 29 to which the ladies of the county are cordially invited. It is the purpose of the club to provide a pleasant place, easy of access where ladies and children may go for rest. Sandwiches, coffee and milk will be served at small cost to those who desire a lunch. The conveniences of a toilet room will also be provided. 3t.

The Harrisburg *Patriot* has a new man at its head, Vance C. McCormick, the recently elected mayor of that city has purchased the plant and will conduct it in the future The paper will be Democratic in politics and its columns will be open for the advocacy of all that is good for that city. The new proprietor is a man of deep vision and broad culture and is abundantly able to conquer all difficulties that may arise in the publication of the paper. Already there is a big improvement in the appearance of the sheet.

The Berwick Rangers didn't even furnish good amusement for the Carpet Works at Athletic Park Saturday afternoon. Spitz, the Berwick twirler, was as wild as a March hare, he gave eleven bases on balls, hit two men and threw two balls fifteen feet over the catcher's head. After witnessing Saturday's exhibition we are forced to believe that the creditable game played by the Rangers here a few weeks ago was an accident. Lyons for the home team pitched well. The umpiring of Mr. Splain was faultless. Score 15–7.

Roy, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Stackhouse of Iron street, is seriously ill.

William Webb of Rishton's Pharmacy, is on his annual vacation. He will spend this week with friends in Bellefonte.

All the stores in town, including the drug stores were closed last evening in order that the clerks might join the picnic.

Prof. J. H. Dennis and family are now occupying the Turner property recently purchased by Geo. P. Ringler on East Fifth street.

Deitrick and McMichael of Berwick have purchased a Yale Wonder Clock through W. S. Rishton. Mr. Rishton has the county agency.

Bruce Patterson having been elected a teacher in the public school in Orange township, has resigned his clerkship with F. P. Pursel.

We go to press too early to give the result of the Danville—Bloomsburg tennis tournament which is being played on the Y. M. C. A. court today.

Frank Quick of Fourth street has been unable to fill his position in H. G. Supplee's store since Monday. The physician in attendance fears an attack of appendicitis.

The First National Bank has the brick on the ground, and will proceed at once to lay a vitrified brick pavement along the entire front of their bank property.

Henry Rote, of Millville, died on Sunday from an attack of grip with which he had suffered for nearly three years. He was forty-six years of age and leaves to survive him, a wife and three children. The funeral took place yesterday.

Thirteen blooded Holstein cows belonging to Claude Peters, a dairyman near Martinsburg recently discovered a box of dynamite which had been left uncovered. The cows thinking no doubt, that they had discovered a new kind of fodder began muching it. Later—there was no milking that night as they could not find enough remnents to make one cow.

The strike, laying idle 150,000 men and boys and affecting profits of some $1,000,000,000 of capital in all the fields of industry, from several aspects is one of the costliest strikes in history. Now at the end of the twelfth week, the losses to the miners and the business community in the anthracite field are estimated at $75,000,000.

The pension roll is steadily growing. At the end of July the number on the list was 999,445, 50,000 more than the number of soldiers at the close of the war in 1865. This tremendous increase is the result of the constant new pension legislation by congress. At the present rate there is no telling what proportions the list will attain twenty years hence.

The very kind offer of the Lilly–Corson Steam Riding Gallery to give the Friendship Fire Company a benefit on Saturday evening has been accepted. Tickets will be sold for five cents and each will entitle the holder to a ride on the merry-go-round at the corner of Main and East streets. The money will be used to defray the expense of entertaining visiting firemen during the centennial.

The Century Club of town picnicked at Susquehanna Park, Willow Grove, yesterday. The following composed the party: Miss Mary Sustin, Mrs. L. P. Sterner and son Robert, Miss Helen Carpenter, Mrs. H. M. Smith, Miss Lydia W. Drinker, Mrs. G. H. Hemingway, Miss Sarah Van Tassel, Mrs. R. R. Little and daughter Catharine, Mrs. J. L. Dillon and son Charles, Dr. Honora Grimes, Miss Georgia Pursel, Mrs. Low and daughters, Misses Helen, Elizabeth and Alice Low.

Stole a Horse.

A complete driving outfit consisting of a horse, buggy and set of harness, were stolen from Daniel Levan's barn near Numedia Thursday night of last week, and despite the fact that a thorough investigation and search has been going on ever since the commission of the theft no trace of the guilty party can be found. Mr. Levan and two sons started in pursuit just as soon as he discovered his loss. They have visited Catawissa, Danville, Bloomsburg and other towns, but so far their search for a clue has been fruitless.

There have been several horses stolen in that section recently, in fact it was the frequency of such depredations that prompted the organization of Farmers Association, and an active effort will now be made to capture the gang.

Up on First Floor.

$3.50 GOWNS FOR $2.00.
Women's Night Dresses.
Many of these have been soiled in handling and by using for decorations, all are nicely trimmed and made better than most garments—some styles only one or two of a kind—about five dozen altogether. Don't wait.
3.50 and 3.00 reduced to 2.00
2.25 and 2.00 reduced to 1.25
1.75 and 1.50 reduced to 1.00
1.39 and 1.25 reduced to .75

$1.75 SHIRT WAISTS FOR $1.00
White and colors, not many of any kind—all new this season—have sold at $1.50 and $1.75, reduced now to $1.00 each.

$5.00 PARASOLS FOR $2.95
Prices are taking them styles are new; goods are right—but we will not keep them until next year if you care to save half your money.
5.00 parasols now 2.95
3.50 parasols now 1.95
2.75 parasols now 1.50
2.00 parasols now 1.25
1.50 parasols now 1.00
1.25 parasols now .75
1.00 parasols now .50

$1.00 SHIRT WAISTS FOR 39C.
A lot of women's colored shirt waists that were sold at 50c. to $1.00 now all to go at 39 cents each.

DOWN IN OUR BASEMENT.

Tea Straners, 1 Cent.
9 dozen fine wire straners to put on spout of teapot 1 cent each.

Egg Beaters, 1 Cent.
9 dozen fine trimmed woven wire, braced handle, wire frame, 1 cent each.

Clothes Pins, 1 Cent a Dozen.
Strictly firsts and full size. These are the cleanest and best clothes pins made. 1c. dozen.

Drinking Cups, 2 Cents Each.
5 dozen extra quality tin, firmly soldered, warranted not to leak, 1 pint size, 2 cents each.

Shelf Oil Cloth, 5 Cents.
Superior grade, 12 inches wide with fancy border and scolloped edges. Yard 5 cents.

Coffee Pot Stands, 3 Cents.
5 dozen bright silver wire tea and coffee pot stands, well made and equal to goods at much higher price. 3 cents each.

R. E. Hartman,
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CENTENNIAL COMMITTEES.

The organization of the Centennial celebration is as follows:

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Geo. E. Elwell, Secretary.

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H. B. Clark, Frank Ikeler,
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The eleventh annual excursion and picnic of W. C., No. 319, P. O. S. of A., of Bloomsburg, will picnic at Nay Aug Park, Scranton, Pa., on Saturday, August 16, 1902.

Nay Aug Park is acknowledged by all to be the most beautiful park in Eastern Pennsylvania. The City of Scranton appropriated and expended last season $100,000 to beautify and maintain it. It is equipped with the best of buildings and all the popular amusements of a city park. It has the most beautiful scenery to be found anywhere, some of which is attractive—Nay Aug Falls, the Spanning Bridge, a real Coal Mine, one hundred and fifty feet under ground, and lighted by electricity, one of the finest Menageries in the State, a large lake, stocked with gold fish. Mountain scenery unparalleled.

All those interested in Bloomsburg's Centennial celebration should patronize the excursion, as fifty per cent. of the net proceeds will be given towards making it a success.

This excursion will be run over the D. L. & W. Railroad to Scranton, thence by trolley to the park. First-class refreshments can be secured on the grounds at popular prices.

Trains leave Bloomsburg 7:30 a. m., sharp, stopping at Espy, Lime Ridge and Berwick only.

Fare, from Bloomsburg and above: Adults, $1.25; children, 65 cents. Catawissa; Adults, $1.35; children, 75 cents, including trolley fare.

Trolley leaves Catawissa bridge at 6:40 a. m., sharp. Tickets will be on sale at bridge on morning of excursion. Baskets should be distinctly marked to avoid loss. By order of

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